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PREFACE.

Each Legislative Souvenir has its own special features of legislation and legislators to represent Fortunately the editor is not required to attempt any explanation of the differences he finds in each Legislature. "His not to reason why." That is for the voters to pass upon. The Souvenir of 1897 is remarkable in that, for the first time, it represents an Executive Council composed wholly of Republicans. And it is still more remarkable, probably, in that this Council includes a Negro, one who was born a slave, but who, by the curious and intricate complications of modern politics in Boston, was elected by his district as one of the constitutional advisers of the Governor. As it is quite improbable that the present generation will again see a Council wholly Republican or a Councillor of Negro blood, this Souvenir of 1897 will have a unique value in this respect at least. And this Councillor came and went among his fellows, in all respects as though the accident of color made no shade of difference between them. The Legislature of 1897, like most Legislatures, had one chief bill to pass upon,— that for a new Elevated Railroad for Boston. The bill became law with no suspicion of improper action attaching to it in all its progress, even though almost untold millions were at stake. There were many other measures of great financial importance, even more than usual, while the political legislation was, perhaps, of less moment than usual. Especially noteworthy is the fact that the sessions of the Senate were held in a hall specially provided by finishing for that purpose the upper half of Memorial Hall, a most satisfactory room being thereby provided. The views given elsewhere are doubtless the only views that ever will be published of that room. This Souvenir contains also a special feature in the picture of Tom Meagher, the gallant one-armed veteran of the War, who has been for many years a popular fixture as the "candy man." The following pages show you the portraits of the men who made the laws of 1897 and give you also their biographical sketches, the votes for them and their opponents, and the facsimiles of their autographs.

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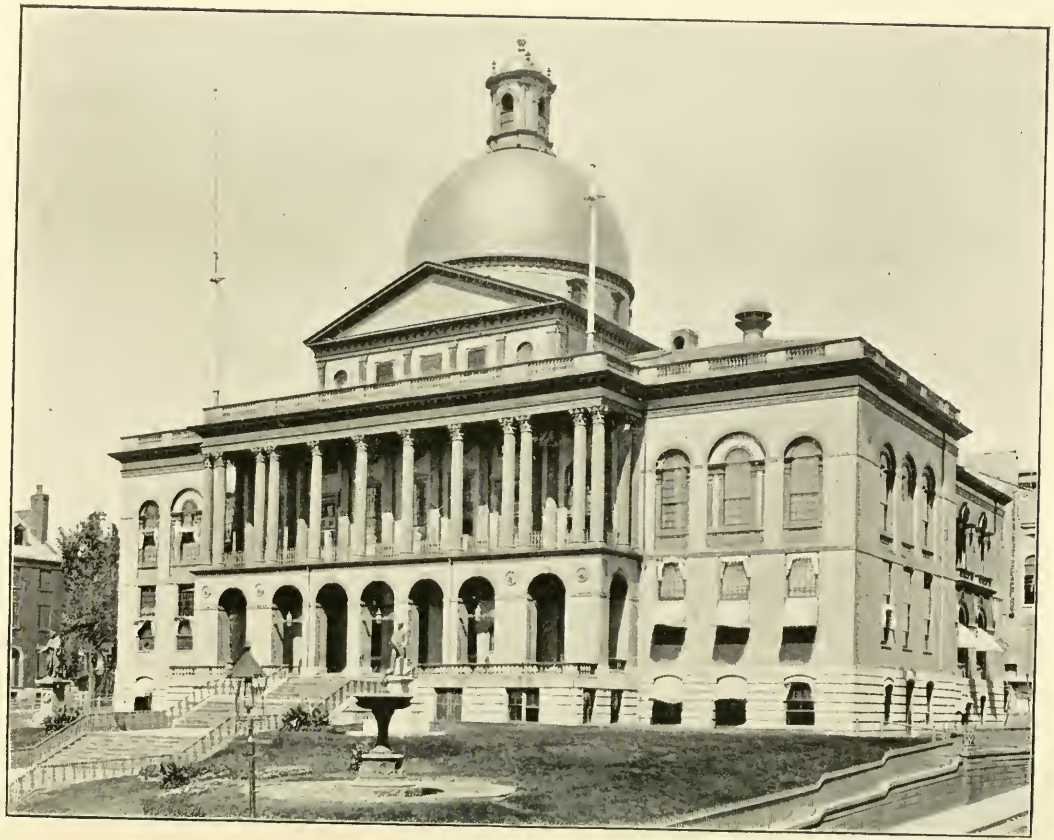

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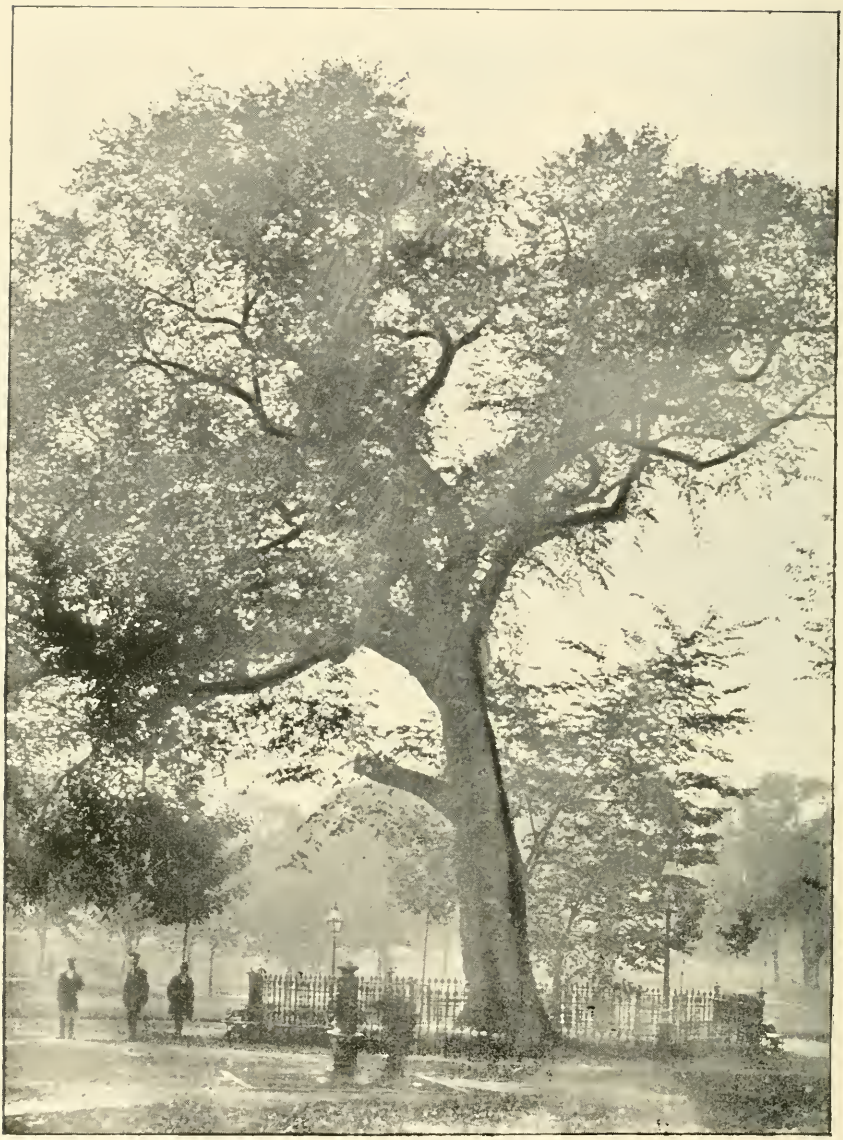

THE OLD ELM, BOSTON COMMON.

(The following inscriptions on the tablets adjoining the present young and thrifty elm briefly state the main facts of interest):

"THE OLD ELM destroyed by a gale Feb. 15, 1876. This elm planted A.D. 1876."

"THE OLD ELM.—This tree has been standing here for an unknown period. It is believed to have existed before the settlement of Boston, being fully grown in 1722; exhibited marks of old age in 1792, and was nearly destroyed by a storm in 1832. Protected by an enclosure in 1854 J. V. C. SMITH, Mayor."

MASSACHUSETTS IN THE FIFTY-FOURTH CONGRESS.

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The musket on the left bears this inscription:—"The first Firearm captured in the War for Independence." The musket on the right is thus inscribed:—"This Firearm was used by Capt. John Parker at the Battle of Lexington, April 19, 1775. The drum, sword of an infantry officer, Hessian helmet and musket are trophies of the battle of Bennington, as the document framed below testifies, as follows:

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.

SIR:

BOSTON, December 5, 1777.

The General Assembly of this State take the earliest opportunity to acknowledge the receipt of your acceptable present — the tokens of victory gained at the memorable battle of Bennington. The events of that day strongly mark the bravery of the men, who, unskilled in war, forced from their intrenchments a chosen number of veteran troops of boasted Britons; as well as the address and valor of the General who directed their movements and led them on to conquest. This signal exploit opened the way to a rapid succession of advantages most important to America. These trophies shall be safely deposited in the archives of the State, and there remind posterity of the irresistible power of the GOD of Armies, and the honors due to the memory of the brave. Still attended with like Success, may you long enjoy the rewards of your grateful Country.

BRIGADIER GENL JOHN STARK.

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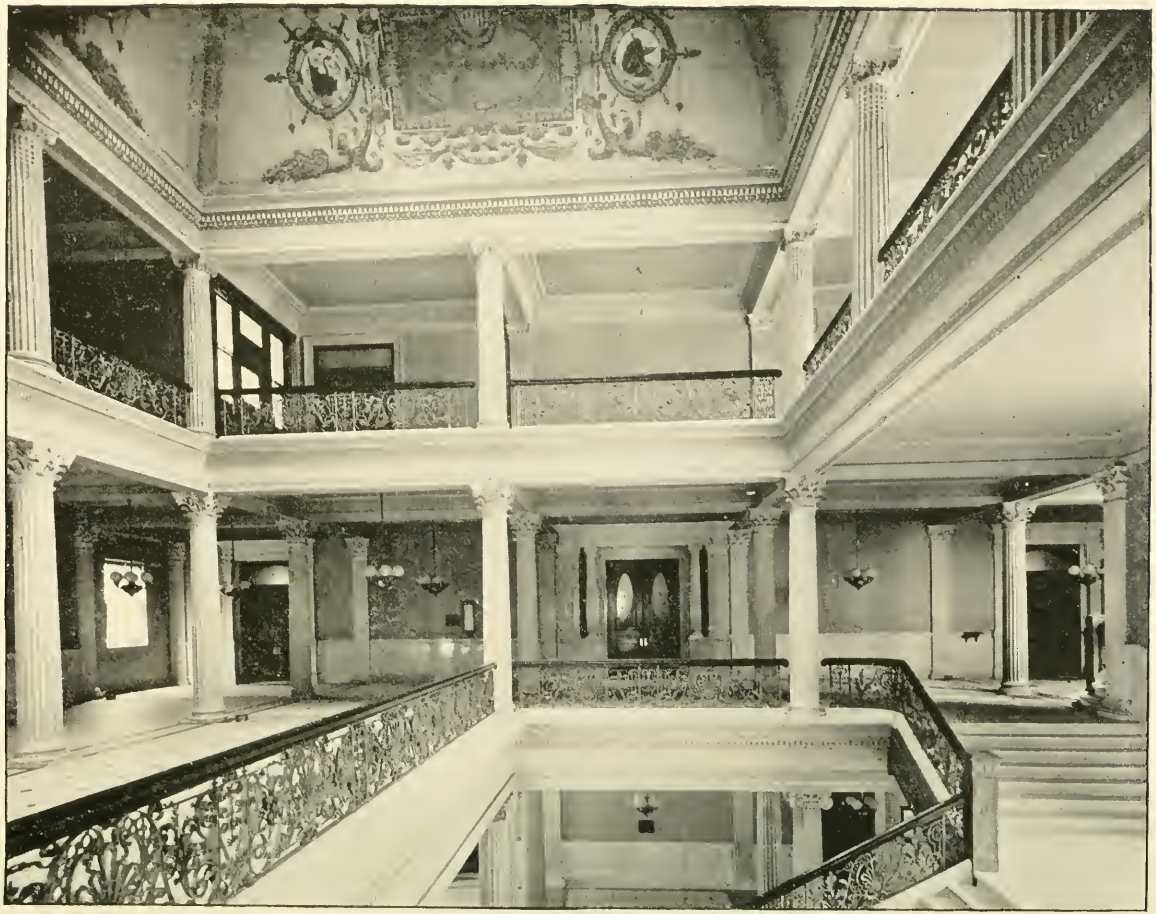
Lobby Between Senate Reading Room And Senate Chamber.

Main Corridor Between House And Office of Secretary Of State.



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DORIC HALL.

This hall has seen varied gatherings, but none of greater interest than that of April 17, 1861. On that day, the first volunteer company of the whole country, during the late War of the Rebellion, assembled here, chose its officers, received overcoats from the government and in an hour and a half from the time of assembling was on its way to the front. The story, in more detail, is as follows: In Cambridge, in 1860, had been formed a company of "Wide Awakes" to help elect President Lincoln. Hon. J. M. S. Williams, congressman from that district, promised them that if they would keep up their organization they could go to Washington to see Lincoln inaugurated. But the United States government forbade the assembling of such bodies at the national capital. During the dark days of February, 1861, several of the company agreed to volunteer if they were needed, and, on the 14th of February, several of them signed an agreement to that effect. First on the list was the name of John Kinnear, now assistant door-keeper of the House. In the first week in March, he, with a few others, visited the State House and personally tendered their services to Governor Andrew. He advised them that there was no immediate need of their services and that they return to Cambridge, whence he would summon them if necessary. Then came the news of the breaking out of rebellion. They at once visited the State House, finding the Governor and Council in session. Governor Andrew told them to return to Cambridge and that they would receive orders in an hour. They returned and the orders speedily reached them. Then, again, they hastened to the State House, many of their members leaving their work and throwing their tools into the street. Reaching the State House, they assembled in Doric Hall, ninety-seven of them. In a small adjoining room they chose officers, electing James Prentice Richardson, now of Texas, as captain. They first went to the Old Colony station, but were soon ordered to the "S. R. Spaulding," where they embarked for Fortress Monroe. They were first assigned to the Fifth regiment, but were soon transferred to the Third, becoming Company C. This was, without doubt, the first volunteer company of the late war. It is a matter of history that this prompt, loyal and general response of this company, in contrast with the scattering returns from more pretentious organizations, did much to encourage the State authorities and "the great war Governor."

In this hall lay, in state, the body of Charles Sumner, Sunday, March 15, 1874, where it was viewed by a multitude as vast as time would allow.

In this hall gathered the "Army of the Unemployed," February 20, 1894, whence they were removed by detachments of the district and Boston police, but without violence. They had just been addressed on the Capitol steps by Governor Greenhalge.

This view is taken from the main entrance. In the distance are the cannon commemorative of the battles of Lexington and Concord, the battle flags of the Rebellion and, in the midst of all, the statue of Washington.

THE STATE HOUSE EXTENSION.

BRIGHAM & SPOFFORD, Architects.—(Since March, 1892, Mr. Brigham has been sole architect.)

Corner-stone laid, Dec. 21, 1889, by Governor Oliver Ames. First occupied by the Legislature of 1895. The portion directly underneath the dome is the "Bulfinch Front", which the Legislature of 1896 voted to remodel and preserve in its original condition as near as possible, at an expense of $375,000. All the remainder of the edifice is included in the new extension.

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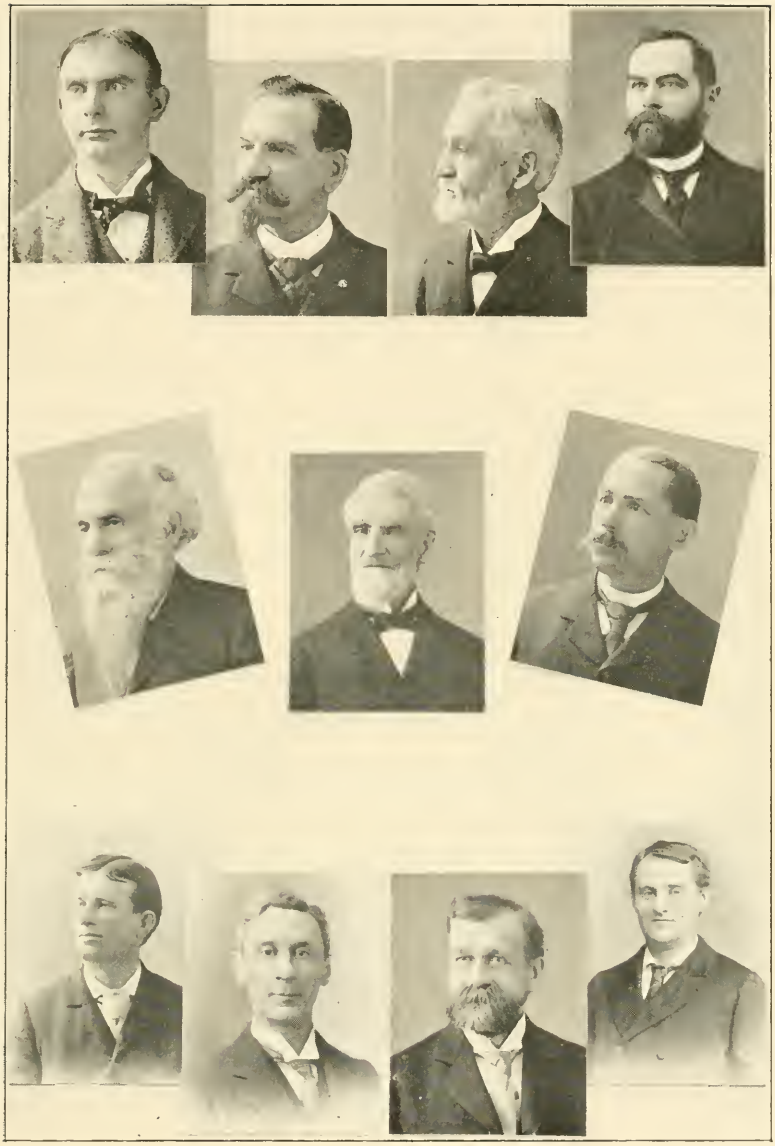

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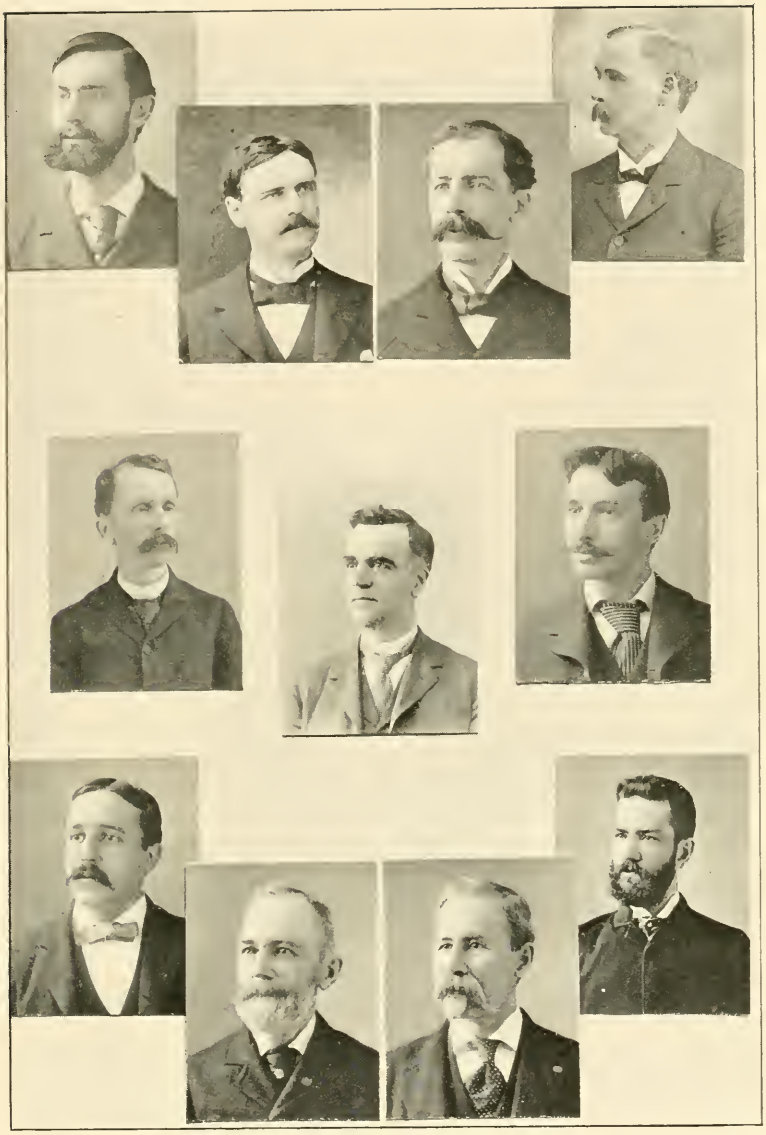

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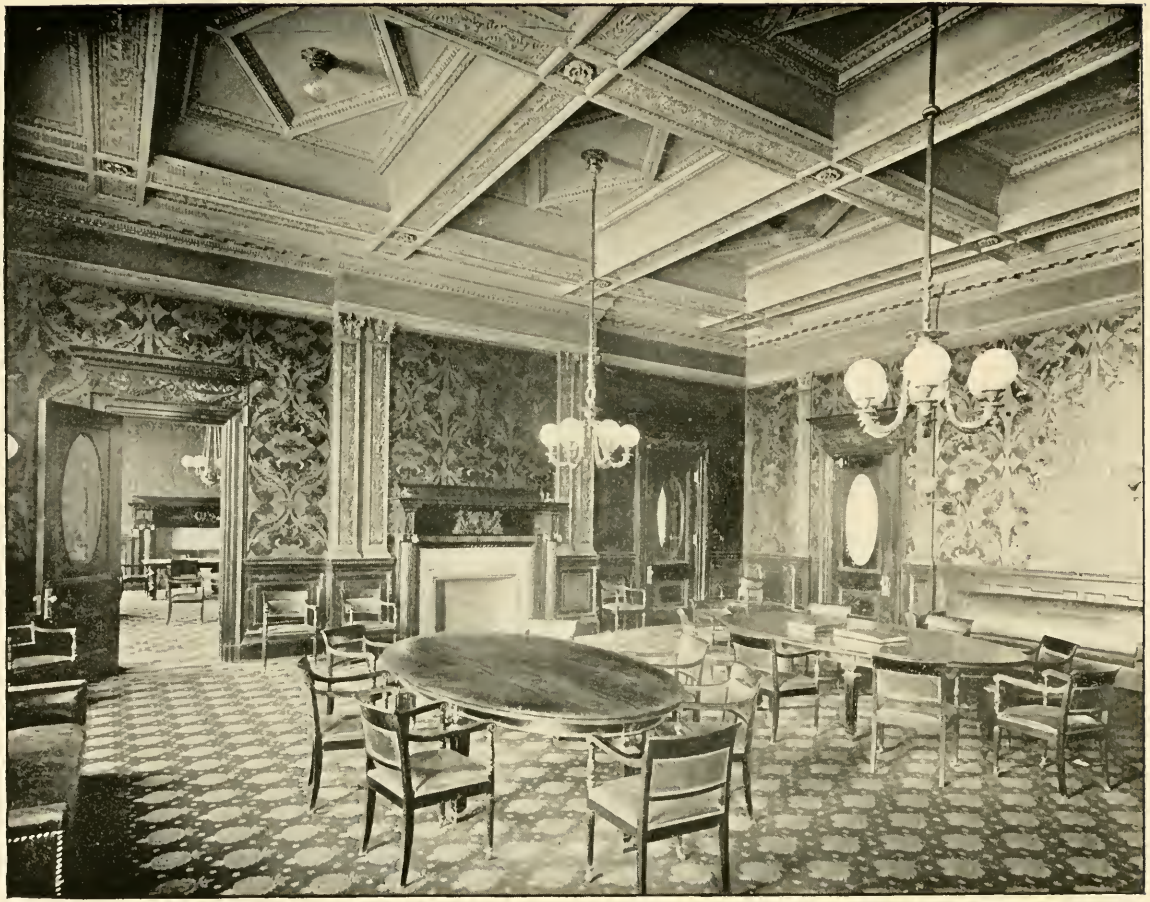
OTIS FOSS. JAMES THOMAS. CHARLES L. DEAN. L. GILMAN WAITE.

NEW HALL OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.



READING ROOM AND POST OFFICE OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

SERGEANT-AT-ARMS AND APPOINTEES.

D. T. Remington, Thomas Tucker, John Kinnear, J. Beatty, Postmaster.
Senate Door-keeper. House Door-keeper. Asst. House Door-keeper.

W. H. Whiting.* J. Henry Locke.* Ezra T. Pope.† Charles T. Ufford.†

C. G. Davis. John G. B. Adams, Charles A. Legg,
1st Clerk. Sergeant-at-arms. Chief Engineer.

Edwin C. Gould.† R. J. Taylor, Harry W. Morgan.§ L. G. Mitchell.§
Elevator Man.

Clarence J. Smith.¶ E. S. Backman.¶ James Wood.¶ L. A. Phillips.¶
* Senate Messenger. † House Messenger. § Senate Page. ¶ House Page.

"Tom" Meagher, the Veteran of the War of the Rebellion, Who has been the popular "Candy Man" of the Legislature for, lo, these many years.

VIEW FROM THE CUPOLA TO THE SOUTH.

THE OLD STATE HOUSE.

Built in 1748, on site of burned town hall, at the head of State Street, Boston.

In the foreground occurred the Boston Massacre of March 5, 1770. Been used as State House, City Hall, and Post Office. British troops quartered here, 1768, and General Gage held council of war here before battle of Bunker Hill. Declaration of Independence read from balcony in view; from other end Washington reviewed procession in 1789. Here State Constitution planned and ratified. William Lloyd Garrison took refuge here from mob, October, 1835, it being then used for City Hall.

BIOGRAPHICAL.

BRIEF SKETCHES OF THE LIVES OF THE MEN WHO, IN STATE GOVERNMENT, HELPED SHAPE LEGISLATION IN 1897.

THE GOVERNOR.

His Excellency Roger Wolcott, Republican, of Boston, born in that city July 13, 1847, being a lineal descendant of Oliver Wolcott, one of the signers of the Declaration of Independence. He graduated from Harvard University in the class of 1870, and was class orator. He was a member of Boston common council in 1887-8-9, and of the House of Representatives in 1882-3-4, serving on the committees on libraries, labor, and public charitable institutions. and being chairman of the standing House committee on elections. He was the first president of the Republican Club of Massachusetts, is an overseer of Harvard University, and a trustee of the Massachusetts General Hospital. Was lieutenant-governor in 1893, and was on the committees on pardons, finance, charitable institutions, prisons, military affairs and railroads. On the same committees in 1894, and also on committee on State House extension. On the same committees in 1895 as in 1894, and also on nominations. In 1896, on committees on pardons, finance, charitable institutions, military and naval affairs, railroads, State House, nominations, being chairman of each. By the death of Gov. Greenhalge, March 5, the duties of the office of Governor for the rest of the year devolved upon the lieutenant-governor, with the title of "Acting Governor."

Vote of the state: T. C. Brophy, Socialist Labor, 4548; Allen Coffin, Prohibition, 4472: F. O. Prince, Democratic National N. P., 14,164; G. F. Williams, Democrat, 76,901; G. F. Williams, People's Party, 5907; Roger Wolcott, Republican, 258,204: G. F. Williams, no designation, 3821.

THE LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR.

His Honor Winthrop Murray Crane, Republican, was born in Dalton, where he has lived all his life, April 23, 1853. He was educated in public and private schools. He has always been engaged in the manufacture of paper, his father and grandfather having been engaged in the same business there before him. Although much interested in politics, and always having been an earnest Republican, he has never before accepted a nomination for an elective office. In 1896 he was a delegate to the national Republican convention at St. Louis. On committees on pardons, finance, charitable institutions, prisons, military and naval affairs, railroads, State House, nominations with Council of 1897.

Vote of state: C. T. Callahan, Democrat, 94,921; W. Murray Crane, Republican, 247,336; A. Dakin, People's Party, 3853; J. E. McConnell, Democrat National N. P., 14,194; W. W. Nash, Prohibition, 4933; M. E. Ruther, Socialist Labor, 3134.

SECRETARY OF THE COMMONWEALTH.

Hon. William Milo Olin, of Boston, Republican, is the sixteenth incumbent of the office of Secretary of the Commonwealth since 1710. He is serving

his seventh term there. He was born of New England parents in Warrenton, Ga., Sept. 18, 1845, but has been a resident of this state since 1850, and is a graduate of the public schools. He very early entered the office of the Worcester Transcript, starting at the bottom of the ladder as the "devil." He followed that with work at the case until the summer of 1862. Then at the age of sixteen, he enlisted in the Thirty-sixth Massachusetts Volunteers and served throughout the war in that organization. Returning to civil life, he devoted some time to study, under the guidance of Rev. Edward Everett Hale, and then joined the reportorial staff of the Boston Advertiser with which paper he was connected for fourteen years, as reporter, editor, and Washington correspondent. In 1879 he was appointed private secretary and military secretary, with the rank of colonel, by Gov. Talbot, and was re-appointed by Gov. Long in 1880, 1881, and 1882. Private secretary to Collector Worthington, Senator Dawes, and Collector Beard; leaving the service of the last named to take up the duties of his present office. He has been lieutenant-colonel and assistant adjutant-general under Gen. Wales, First Brigade, M. V. M., and adjutant-general and inspector general of the national encampment, G. A. R. Member of Columbian lodge, St. Paul's royal arch chapter, Boston Council and of Joseph Warren commandery of Masons, all of Boston.

Vote of state: A. F. Hall, People's Party, 4542; W. Lincoln, Democrat National N. P., 19,496; William M. Olin, Republican, 244,302; J. H. Potts, Democrat Bryan N. P., Democrat, 79,720; L. D. Usher, Socialist Labor, 2952; W. O. Wylie, Prohibition, 4810.

TREASURER AND RECEIVER-GENERAL.

Hon. Edward P. Shaw, Republican, of Newburyport, was born in that city, Sept. 1, 1841. He was educated in its public schools. Has always been engaged in business enterprises, especially street railways, and executing large government contracts. In the House of 1881-2, he served on the committee on roads and bridges; and again in 1888-9, on street railways; in the Senate of 1892, he was chairman of committee on street railways, and on committee on banks and banking; in 1893 again chairman of same, and member of banks and banking, insurance, and fisheries and game. Director of First national bank of Newburyport for last 20 years and now its president; also a trustee for many years of the Five Cent savings bank of Newburyport. Chosen state treasurer, April 25, 1895, to fill vacancy caused by resignation of Hon. Henry M. Phillips of Springfield, and unanimously renominated in state convention of 1895, and elected by 65,038 majority. Unanimously renominated in state convention 1896 and elected by 159,923 majority.

Vote of state: C. G. F. Claus, Socialist Labor, 4,301; R. C. Habberley, Prohibition, 6,214; Edward P. Shaw, Republican, 238,106; H. P. Tobey, Democrat National N. P., 27,018; Peoples Party, Democrat National N. P., Democrat, 78,183.

AUDITOR OF ACCOUNTS.

Hon. John White Kimball, of Fitchburg, Republican, a native of that city, was born Feb. 27, 1828; educated in its public schools. Member of the House of Representatives in 1864, 1865, and 1872, assigned to committee on military affairs each year. Again in House in 1888, 1889, 1890, and 1891, with service on committees on finance and railroads, being chairman of the latter committee in the two last years named; appointed on joint special committee to convey to Congress the resolution relating to couplers and brakes on freight cars; on special committee to investigate the West End R. R. Co. in 1890. He has held these offices: justice of the peace, tax collector, selectman, postmaster, and alderman of Fitchburg; police commissioner of Massachusetts; United States pension agent, Western Massachusetts district; custodian in United States Treasury Department, Washington; commander of the Department of Massachusetts, G.

A. R.; before the war, captain and adjutant, Ninth Regiment, M. V. M.; during the war, lieutenant-colonel Fifteenth Massachusetts Volunteers, colonel Fifty-third Massachusetts Volunteers, and brevet brigadier-general United States Volunteers; since the war, colonel Tenth Regiment, M. V. M. A member of the Loyal Legion. He is a real estate agent. Is now serving his fifth term as auditor. Member of Aurora lodge of Masons and Jerusalem commandery, Fitchburg. Is trustee and auditor of Fitchburg savings bank.

Vote of state; M. P. Cavanaugh, Democrat Bryan N. P., 31,824; M. J. Fitzgerald, Democrat, 60,151; T. A. Frissell. Prohibition, 5994; John W. Kimball, Republican, 238,134; R. H Phinney, Socialist Labor, 3226; W. P. Proctor, Peoples Party, 3340; C. C. Spellman, Democrat National, 12881.

THE ATTORNEY GENERAL.

Hon. Hosea Morrill Knowlton, New Bedford, Republican, born in Durham, Me., May 20, 1847. Educated in Bangor, (Me.) High school, Keene, (N. H.) High school and Powers Institute, Bernardston; Tufts College, class of 1 67; Harvard Law School. Admitted to bar, New Bedford, June, 1870. U. S. Register in Bankruptcy 1872-1878, inclusive. City solicitor, 1877. Member of House, 1876-7, committees on insurance, revision of judicial system; chairman of committee on elections. Member of Senate 1878 9, railroad committee. District attorney for Southern District of Massachusetts, 1879 to 1893 inclusive.

Vote of state: J. C. Chase, Socialist Labor, 4,111; W. Hamlin, Prohibition 5.799; H. F. Hurlburt, Democrat National N. P.. 21,116; Hosea M. Knowlton, Republican, 240,186; W. H. Morse, Peoples Party, 3,988; J. B. O'Donnell, Democrat Bryan N. P., Democrat, 81,253.

THE EXECUTIVE COUNCIL.

DISTRICT No. 1.

Hon. Nathaniel F. Ryder, Republican, of Middleboro, was born in Middleboro, October 15, 1845, attended the public schools and graduated from Pierce Academy. At eighteen he entered upon work which has been his principal business all his life. He was employed by W. C. Hunneman in their varnish establishment, and at twenty he was a salesman with a big salary for Stimson, Babcock & Livermore. Here he declined a partnership, but subsequently became a member of the firm of Odiorne & Ryder. They were burned out in the great Boston fire. After the great loss by this fire Mr. Ryder began life anew, as it were. The firm of Burbank, Ryder & Damon was formed and exis's today, with but a single change, under the name of Burbank & Ryder, doing the largest business of any in the trade in New England, and having factories in Charlestown and Middleboro and stores in Boston and Chicago. The Boston store is at 149 A Milk street. They occupy a most honorable position in the commercial world. Treasurer of the Parlor Pride manufacturing company, also treasurer of the Granite mills. Mr. Ryder cast his first vote for General Grant for president, and has always been a true and loyal Republican. He has never held other public office but has been a generous promoter of the cause for years with his means and has been active in the political clubs and committees, being at present a leading member of the Republican state committee from the Second Plymouth district, and chairman of the First district councillor committee. He is treasurer of the Plymouth County Club, and a member of the State Republican, Home Market, Middlesex, Algonquin and Norfolk clubs. He has acquired a leading position by association with the prominent party leaders of the state and outside, and was a warm personal friend of Governor Greenhalge. He is also a Mason of h gh degree. He was nominated by acclamation and was elected by an almost unanimous vote. On committees on finance, harbors and public lands, military and naval affairs, railroads, nominations in Council of 1896; on pardons, finance, harbors and public lands railroads, State House and nominations, 1897.

Vote of district: Nathaniel F. Ryder, Republican, 29,747; all others, 35.

DISTRICT No. 2.

Hon. Benjamin S. Lovell, Republican, of Weymouth was born in (East) Weymouth, July 10, 1844; educated in the public schools. Enlisted in Co. A 42d regiment, September 13, 1862, serving in the Department of the Gulf. Member of Reynolds post 58 G. A. R., serving six terms as senior vice commander, and for 14 years was successively chosen commander, until business matters demanded so much of his time that he was obliged to decline a 15th election. Junior vice commander of the department in 1880, senior vice commander in 1881, and declined the nomination as department commander in 1882. aide-de-camp to Gen. Robinson, commander in-chief of the national encampment in 1886-8; delegate to the national encampment, 1886; member of council of administration, 1887; on staff of Gen. Alger in 1889; on staff of Gen. Palmer, 1892. Member of the staff of Gov. Long 1880-1-2. Delegate to the national Republican conventions of 1884-8-92; Republican presidential elector in 1882. For several years chairman of Weymouth Republican town committee. Member of the House in 1877-8-86-7, on committees on mercantile affairs, railroads. and redistricting the state; an earnest advocate of the Soldiers' Exemption bill in 1886. Member of Senate in 1883, on committees on harbors and public lands, military affairs, Hoo-

sac Tunnel and Troy & Greenfield railroad. Member of Orphans' Hope lodge of Masons, South Shore commandery; Crescent lodge of Odd Fellows. Member of the staff of Gov. Greenhalge in 1894-5, with the rank of assistant adjutant-general, resigning when he was chosen to the Council. On committees on harbors and public lands, military and naval affairs, railroads, accounts and warrants in Council of 1896; on the same committees in the Council of 1897.

Vote of district: J. J. Cantwell of Brookline. Democrat, 13,582; Benj. S. Lovell, Republican, 35,553.

DISTRICT No. 3.

Hon. Everett Chamberlin Benton, was born at Guildhall, Vt., Sept. 25, 1862. Educated in the common schools of his native state, and at Coldbrook and Lancaster academies in New Hampshire. Served as deputy county clerk of Essex county, Vt., for four years, and as clerk of the secretary of state for two sessions. Removed to Boston in 1882, and entered the office of John C. Paige, insurance, with which agency he has ever since been connected. Col. Benton's political work in Massachusetts began as a member of the Republican town committee of Belmont, whi h position he held for several years; elected to the Republican state committee in 1891-6; in 1892, chairman of committee on towns; chairman of the executive committee in 1893, 1894, and in 1895; vice-chairman, 1896. Appointed aide-de-camp with rank of colonel on the staff of His Excellency, Gov. Greenhalge, January, 1894-5-6. Secretary of Massachusetts delegation to national Republican convention, 1896. On committees on pardons, harbors and public lands, charitable institutions, prisons, military and naval affairs, warrants, in Council of 1897.

Vote of district: Everett C. Benton, Republican, 31,116; J. McSorley, Democrat, 14,425.

DISTRICT No. 4.

Hon. Isaac B. F. Allen of Boston was born in Hampton, Va., June 8, 1843, and was educated in day and night schools of that place. In 1865-6, followed the soldiers as a servant, and then was enlisted in Co. A of the 1st New York regiment of Mounted Rifles, serving at Yorktown, Williamsburg, Va., and other places; mustered out in 1864. Has been a cook, nickel plater, barber, restaurateur, and is now in the real estate business. Was member of the Republican ward committee in wards 12 and 18 two years, and is now a member of the committee. Charter member of G. L. Ruffin lodge of Knights of Pythias, and past chancellor; ex-member of Odd Fellows; Rising Sun lodge of Masons; a trustee of the Ebenezer Baptist church of Boston. On committees on harbors and public lands, charitable institutions, railroads, State House, in Council of 1897.

Vote of district: Isaac B. F Allen, Republican, 22,736; J. H. Sullivan, Democrat, 22,670.

DISTRICT No. 5.

Hon. Francis Norwood, Republican, of Beverly, was born in Rockport Jan. 10, 1841; and was educated in the public schools. For 38 years he has been engaged in the shoe manufacturing business. Was a member of the Senate in 1881-2, serving on the committees on federal relations, fisheries and manufactures, being chairman of the first two. Member of the Harrison electoral college in 1888. Member of the Republican state central committee in 1873-4. Trustee of the Beverly savings bank. Member of Bass River lodge of Odd Fellows. On the committees on finance, harbors and public lands, charitable institutions, prisons accounts, in Council of 1897.

Vote of district: D. B. Lord, Democrat, 13,552; Francis Norwood, Republican, 29,526.

DISTRICT No. 6.

HON. ELISHA HERMANN SHAW, Republican, merchant, of Chelmsford, was born in that town, Sept. 29, 1847, in North Chelmsford. He received his education in the public schools, and at Comer's Commercial College in Boston. He has been a brass moulder, second hand in a woolen mill, but is now proprietor of a general store at North Chelmsford. He has been postmaster at North Chelmsford for some twenty-five years, and has served as selectman, assessor and overseer of the poor. He is captain of Troop F. cavalry of the state militia. In the Masonic fraternity he has been worshipful master of William North lodge of Masons, high priest of Mt. Horeb chapter, royal arch Masons, and thrice illustrious master of Ahasuerus council of Royal and Select Masters, all of the city of Lowell, and in 1890, 1891 and 1802 he was district deputy grand master for the Eleventh Masonic district. Ill. 2d lieutenant commander of Massachusetts consistory A. & A. S. Rite, 1892-3-4. Member of board of trustees of Lowell five cent savings bank of Lowell. In 1884 member of the House, serving on committee on insurance. Chairman of the committee on military affairs, and member of committee on public health, in Senate of 1893; chairman of committees on military affairs, and printing; and on street railways in Senate of 1894. On committees on finance, military, and naval affairs, State House, accounts in Council of 1897.

Vote of district: W. E. Rand, Democrat, 15,454; Elisha H. Shaw, Republican, 33,133.

DISTRICT NO. 7.

HON. ALLEN L. JOSLIN, Republican, of Oxford was born in Thompson, Conn., August 30, 1833, and was educated in the public schools. Has always been engaged in the shoe manufacturing business. Has served as selectman, town treasurer, and as member of the school committee in 1883 to 1894, inclusive. President of the Oxford national bank since 1881. Chairman of the committee on banks and banking, and on the committees on State House and claims in the Senate of 1885 6. Member of committees on pardons, finance, prisons, railroads, State House, in Council of 1897.

Vote of district: J. Gregson, Democrat, 11,520; Allen L. Joslin, Republican, 31,522.

DISTRICT No. 8.

HON. CHARLES A. TOWNE, Republican, of Orange, was born in Dana, Oct. 3, 1843; educated in schools of that town. Is a grocer and grain dealer. Has held various town offices. Member of House in 1883, committees on roads and bridges and leave of absence; Senate, 1887-8, committees on prisons, Hoosac Tunnel and Troy & Greengeld Railroad, roads and bridges, public charitable institutions, public health; board of gas and electric light commissioners, 1890-3. Past master of Orange lodge of Masons; member of Crescent chapter of royal arch Masons, and of Orange commandery Knights Templar. On committees on pardons, charitable institutions, military and naval affairs, nominations and warrants in Council of 1896; on the same committees and also on prisons in 1897.

Vote of district: E. W. Boise, Democrat, 15,096; Charles A. Towne, Republican, 32,503.

Private Secretary.—JAMES M. PERKINS, Republican, of Cambridge was born in Tamworth, N. H., April 17, 1868; educated in Somerville High school, and Harvard College, class of 1892, and Harvard Law School, class of 1895. Is a lawyer. Clerk of judiciary committee of the United States Senate in the second session of the 52d Congress.

Executive Clerk.—EDWARD F. HAMLIN, Republican, of Newton, was born in Plainfield, Mass., in 1844; removed to Northampton in 1857. September, 1862, enlisted as a private in Company I, 52d Regiment, Massachusetts Volunteers; promoted to first sergeant; served in the Department of the Gulf, and mustered out by reason of expiration of service, Aug. 14, 1863. In 1857 was elected first lieutenant and captain, Company H, 2d Regiment, Massachusetts Volunteer Militia; was appointed to a clerkship in the adjutant-general's office by Gov. Washburn in 1874. In 1877 was appointed clerk of the Governor and Council by Gov. Rice, and has held that position ever since.

THE SENATE.

THE PRESIDENT.

HON. GEORGE P. LAWRENCE of North Adams, Republican, represents the Berkshire district, which includes the towns of Adams, Cheshire, Clarksburg, Dalton, Florida, Hancock, Hinsdale, Lanesborough, New Ashford, Peru, Savoy, Williamston and Windsor; and the cities of North Adams and Pittsfield. He was born in North Adams, May 19, 1859; educated in Drury Academy, North Adams, and Amherst College, class of 1880; Columbia Law School, class of 1883; admitted to bar same year; attorney at law in North Adams since; appointed judge of district court of Northern Berkshire, 1885. Member of St. Paul's commandery Knights Templar. Trustee of Drury Academy; trustee of public library; and has held various other local offices. Member-at-large of committee on resolutions of Republican state convention, 1894. Chairman committee on street railways, and on committee on agriculture, and probate and insolvency, 1895. Chosen president in 1896 and 1897 by unanimous vote.

Vote of district; George P. Lawrence, Republican, 6,555; C. E. West, Democrat, 2770; A. B. Whipple, Prohibition, 197.

BRISTOL COUNTY.

First District.—Attleboro, Berkley, Easton, Mansfield, North Attleboro, Norton, Raynham, Rehoboth, Seekonk, Taunton.—HON. WILLIAM R. BLACK, Republican, of Taunton, was born in Prince Edward's Island, Aug. 23, 1830; educated in the public schools. Went to Taunton in 1852. Was in Co. G, 4th regiment of militia, and when the war broke out went with that company to Fortress Monroe in answer to the President's first call for 75,000 men. Was one of the "Minute Men," three months' service. Was in the first fight of the war at Big Bethel, Va., in June. 1861; re-enlisted with his company at the expiration of service. Was 1st lieutenant of Co. G; promoted to captain of Co. F. Ordered to the Department of the Gulf under General Banks, in 19th Army Corps, and went through most of the marches and battles of the department. Was a cotton planter in North Carolina for four years from the close of the war, and worked some of the first free negroes in that state. Since 1869 has been a contractor, paver and road builder in Taunton. Member of Post 3, G. A. R.; St. Marks, R. A. Chapter, King David Lodge, F. & A. M.; Knights of Honor; Home Market Club, Old Colony Historical Society. Superintendent of streets of Taunton, from 1891 to 1895 when he declined further service. Member of House in 1872-3, committees on prisons and bills in third reading. Member of Senate 1897. Chair-

man committees on labor, and on constitutional amendments, and roads and bridges.

Vote of district: William R. Black, Republican, 6352; R. P. Coughlin, Democrat, 1754.

Second District.—Dighton, Fall River, Somerset, Swanzey.—Hon. William Moran, Democrat, of Fall River was born in Manchester, England, Sept. 6, 1855; educated in the public schools of Fall River. Is a barber. Chairman of Democratic city committee in 1895-6. Member of the House of 1894-5, serving on the committee on federal relations in 1894; and on labor in 1895. On committees on election laws, insurance, and labor, 1897.

Vote of district: J. Dwight Brady, Republican, 4757; John Brown, Republican Independent N. P., 703; P. D. Conant, Prohibition, 345; William Moran, Democrat, 5289.

Third District.—Acushnet, Dartmouth, Fairhaven, Freetown, New Bedford, Westport.—Hon. Rufus A. Soule of New Bedford, Republican, was born in Mattapoisett, March 16, 1839; educated in the public schools. Enlisted in Co. E, Third Regiment, in Sept., 1862; mustered out in June, 1863. Past commander of post 190 G. A. R. Member of Loyal Legion. President of Hathaway, Soule & Harrington, incorporated, shoe manufacturers; president of the Dartmouth cotton mills, and director in the City and Bristol cotton mills also; vice president of the New Bedford safe deposit loan and trust company; president of the Acushnet co-operative bank, and director of the New Bedford co-operative bank; director of the W. S. Hill Electric Manufacturing Company. Member of the Middlesex club. Member of common council five years and its president in 1874. Member of Star in the East lodge of Masons, of Adoniram chapter, and of Sutton commandery of Knights Templar. Member of House in 1878 9, serving on committee on railroads. Chairman of committee on banks and banking, and on committees on drainage, and railroads; also on committee to redistrict the state, in 1896; chairman of committee on railroads; and on printing, and State House, 1897.

Vote of district: C. T. Luce, Democrat, 973; Rufus A. Soule, Republican, 5934.

ESSEX COUNTY.

First District.—Wards 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 7, *of Lynn, Nahant, Swampscott.*—Hon. Lewis H. Bartlett of Lynn, Republican, was born in Wareham, April 2, 1854; educated in public schools. Chosen member of Wareham school committee when only 21, and was re-lected. Removed to Lynn and is a manufacturer of machine buttonholes. He is one of the most active Republicans in the great shoe manufacturing city of Lynn, and of Essex county as well. He was a member of the city committee of Lynn for 1890-1-2-3, serving as its chairman for the last three years and then declining a re-election. In 1889, he was chosen treasurer of the Lynn Republican club and has served as such ever since. He is president of the Essex club; and was a member of the Republican state central committee in 1894-5. In all these positions he has constantly been regarded as one of the most sagacious and successful leaders of the party in the county. In the House of 1892, on the committee on mercantile affairs; and 1893, on the committee on railroads. In this year also he was a member of the special committee to represent the state at "Massachusetts Day" at the World's Fair in Chicago, Chairman of the committee on drainage; and on committees on federal relations. and railroads in Senate of 1896; chairman of committee on drainage, and on railroads, and water supply, 1897.

Vote of district: Lewis H. Bartlett, Republican, 5336; E. F. Dwyer, Prohibition, 397; J. F. Maloney, Socialist Labor, 251; C. A. Tabor. Democrat, 2584.

Second District.—Beverly, Danvers, Marblehead, Salem.—Hon JOHN. D. H. GAUSS, Republican, was born in Salem, Jan. 4. 1861 : educated in public schools. Printer, and publisher of Salem Observer, a weekly local newspaper. President of Young Men's Republican club. On school committee six years. Past grand of Fraternity lodge of Odd Fellows; past high priest of Salem encampment; member of Star King lodge of Masons; also of Naumkeag tribe of Red Men. On committee on railroads, in House of 1894. House chairman of committee on public charitable institutions, and ranking member on committee on railroads, 1895; House chairman of committee on public charitable institutions, and on railroads, 1896. Chairman of committee on fisheries and game, and on public charitable institutions, and street railways, 1897.

Vote of district: T. L. Davis, Democrat, 2905; John D. H. Gauss, Republican, 6268; S. Perley, Prohibition, 425.

Third District.—Essex, Gloucester, Hamilton, Ipswich, Manchester, Newbury, Newburyport, Rockport, Rowley—Hon J. LORING WOODFALL, of Rockport, Republican, born in that town, Sept. 15, 1847; educated in public schools. Book-keeper and paymaster twenty-three years. Since 1883, has had charge of mill property. Town auditor seven years; chairman of Republican town committee ten years. Trustee of public library; trustee and clerk of Granite savings bank; water commissioner. Past grand of Granite lodge of Odd Fellows, and member of Ashler lodge of Masons. Clerk of committee on water supply, 1894; on same committee, 1895; chairman of committee on fisheries and game, and on labor, and water supply, 1896; chairman of committee on harbors and public lands, and on fisheries and game, and water supply, 1897.

Vote of district: L. Cole, Prohibition, 227; A. McCurdy, Democrat, 1508; J. Loring Woodfall, Republican, 5557.

Fourth District.—Amesbury, Bradford, Georgetown, Groveland, Haverhill, Merrimac, Salisbury, West Newbury.—Hon. JOHN J. PREVAUX, born in Oakland, Cal., March 16, 1857, and was educated in the public schools. By profession he is a carriage body builder. He is a prominent member of the Odd Fellows; a past officer in the encampment and canton. For three years 1st lieut. of Co. B. 8th regiment, M. V. M. Member of the House of 1889, on the committee of federal relations. House chairman of committee on constitutional amendmends, and on committee on fisheries and game in House of 1893. Held same positions in House of 1894. House chairman of committee on libraries, 1895. Chairman of committee on libraries; and on agriculture, and public charitable institutions, 1896; chairman of committee on public charitable institutions, and on agriculture and labor, 1897.

Vote of district: T. Kelley, Democrat, 2,561; John J. Prevaux, Republican, 5,705.

Fifth District:—Andover, Boxford, Lawrence, Methuen, North Andover, Topsfield.—HON. JAMES H. DERBYSHIRE of Lawrence, was born in Ashton-under-Lynn, England, June 11, 1855. His family removed to this country when he was only a year old, settling in Lawrence, where he has since resided. He was educated in its public schools. Member of common council, 1889-90; chosen water commissioner in 1891 for a term of five years. Is carpenter and builder by trade, and is now road master of the Boston & Maine railroad. Member of Tuscan lodge of Masons, of Lawrence lodge of Elks, No. 168. and of Lawrence Senate of Knights of Ancient Essenic Order. In House of 1893, on committee on roads and bridges, and was on the same committee in 1894. Chairman of committee on roads and bridges; and on counties, and parishes and religious societies, 1896;

chairman of committee on roads and bridges, and on drainage, public health, and towns, 1897.

Vote of district: J. S. Curnew, Prohibition, 182; James H. Derbyshire, Republican, 5,400; J. J. Flynn, Democrat, 5.185.

HAMPDEN COUNTY.

First District.—Brimfield, Holland, Monson, Palmer, Springfield, Wales, Wilbraham.—Hon. EDWARD S. BRADFORD, Republican, was born in (North) Providence, R. I., Dec. 1, 1842. Started life in wool business and manufacturing; afterwards was with Samuel Slater & Sons at Webster, and was chairman of the selectmen and overseers of the poor of that town for three years. In 1868, removed to Springfield to take charge of manufacturing interests in Holyoke. Member of Springfield common council, 1886-87-88; mayor of city, 1889-90-91. Director of Chapin national bank; director of Hampden County musical association; member of park commission; ex-president of Winthrop club; ex-president of Union Relief association; a director of the Nayasset club; chairman of Republican city committee in 1896. In House of Representatives in 1894; serving on committees on cities, and election laws. On committee on cities; and on bills in third reading, expenditures, treasury, woman suffrage in Senate of 1895. Chairman of committee on ways and means; and on bills in third reading, and towns in Senate of 1896; chairman of committee on ways and means, and on bills in third reading, and rules, 1897.

Vote of district: Edward S. Bradford, Republican, 7,379; S. M. Jones, Democrat, 3,348.

Second District.—Agawam, Chicopee, East Longmeadow, Granville, Holyoke, Longmeadow, Ludlow, Montgomery, Southwick, Tolland, West Springfield, Westfield.—Hon. DWIGHT H. IVES, Republican, of Holyoke was born in Holyoke, Jan. 28, 1837; educated in Suffield Institute, Conn. Is in the farming business. Trustee of the Holyoke savings bank, director of Holyoke national bank. Member of the common council 1885. Member of Mt. Tom lodge of Masons. Member of the House in 1894-5, on committee on roads nd bridges each year. Chairman of committee on engrossed bills; and on agriculture, and prisons, 1897.

Vote of district: M. F. Druce, Democrat, 4,360; Dwight H. Ives, Republican, 6,571.

MIDDLESEX COUNTY.

First District.—Ashland, Framingham, Holliston, Hopkinton, Natick, Newton, Sherborn, Watertown, Weston.—Hon. ALBERT L. HARWOOD, Republican, was born in Hardwick, Sept. 10, 1847; educated in public schools and Williston Seminary. Taught Lincoln grammar school, Fall River, 1872 3-4-5, then Mason grammar school of Newton Centre, 1876-90, inclusive. Is a lawyer with an office in Boston. On Newton school committee, 1891-2-3. Member of Newton Republican ward and city committee, 1893 4-5. Masons; Knights Templ r. On committees on probate and insolvency, finance, and expenditures in House of 1895; House chairman of committee on probate and insolvency, and on ways and means, 1896; chairman of committee on constitutional amendments, also of committee on counties; and on committee on railroads in Senate of 1897.

Vote of district: A. Greenwood, Republican Independent, 438; Albert L. Harwood, Republican, 7,227; H. A. Inman, Prohibition, 195; J. W. Mahoney, Democrat, 2,947.

Second District.—Wards 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, of Cambridge—Hon. FREDERICK W. DALLINGER, Republican, was born in Cambridge, Oct. 2, 1871; educated in public schools and at Harvard College, graduating in class of 1893, at head of his class, receiving highest honors in political science. While in Harvard was presi-

dent of the Harvard Union and one of the originators of the Harvard-Yale joint debates, and one of the Harvard speakers at both debates in New Haven, in 1892 and 1893. Member of Phi Beta Kappa Society. Member of the Suffolk bar and also tutor in Harvard University. President of Cambridge Young Men's Republican club, and secretary of Cambridge Republican city committee, 1893 4. Member of Massachusetts and Middlesex clubs. Clerk of committee on election laws, and on committee on taxation, in House of 1894; chairman of House committee on county estimates, and on committee on metropolitan affairs, 1895. Chairman of committees on counties, and engrossed bills; also on committee on metropolitan affairs, 1896; chairman of committee on metropolitan affairs, and on counties, and probate and insolvency, 1897.

Vote of district: H. Bird, Democrat, 3,214; Frederick W. Dallinger, Republican, 5,990.

Third District.—Arlington, Belmont, Somerville.—Hon. JAMES A. BAILEY, JR., of Arlington, Republican, was born in that town, March 25, 1867; educated in public schools, Harvard College, class of 1888, and Harvard Law School, class of 1891. Admitted to bar in 1890, practiced in Boston since then. Mason and Odd Fellow. Treasurer of Middlesex club, 1895-6. Member of Republican State Committee, 1895-6. Member of executive committee of Republican Club of Massachusetts, 1893 4-5. Clerk of committee on judiciary, and on committee on elections in House of 1894. House chairman of committee on State House; on committees on rules and judiciary, 1895; chairman of committee on manufactures; and on rules, and metropolitan affairs, 1897.

Vote of district: James A. Bailey, Jr., Republican, 6,942; F. K. Gifford, Democrat, 1,930.

Fourth District.—Everett, Malden, Melrose.—Hon. GEORGE EDWIN SMITH, Republican, of Everett, was born in New Hampton, Belknap County, N. H., April 5, 1849. Fitted for college at Literary Institution New Hampton; graduated at Bates College, class of 1873. Studied law in the office of Senator William P. Frye, Lewiston, Me.; admitted to the bar of Suffolk county, May, 1875; practiced there since. Moved to Everett in 1878; trustee of public library since 1880; member of school committee; chairman of committee to procure city charter in 1892; city solicitor in 1893-4. Chosen by alumni one of the overseers of Bates College in 1879 and was elected in 1884 and continues to be one of the Board of Fellows. Member of Palestine lodge of Masons of Everett. Member of House of Representatives in 1883-4 from eighth Middlesex district (Malden and Everett); served on committees on education, taxation, and roads and bridges (ch). Chairman of committee on judiciary; and on bills in 3d reading, and liquor law in Senate of 1897.

Vote of district; G. E. Carbee, Democrat, 1,702; George Edwin Smith, Republican, 6,850.

Fifth District.—Lexington, Lincoln, Marlboro, Sudbury, Waltham, Wayland, Winchester.—Hon. HENRY PARSONS, Republican, of Marlboro, was born in New York city, Feb. 2, 1841: educated in public and private schools. Is a manufacturer of machinery, elevators, engines, and various kinds of foundery work. Enlisted Aug. 2, 1862, in Co. H, 148th New York regiment and served in the Army of the Potomac and of the James; wounded four times; promoted to major; mustered out, June 29, 1865. Member of John A. Rawlins post 43 G. A. R., having held all the offices and being past commander. Member of Marlboro common council in 1891-2, and of the aldermen in 1893-4. Marshal of United Brethren lodge of Masons, and of Trinity commandery of Knights Templar. Chairman of committee on federal relations; and on banks and banking and military affairs, 1897.

Vote of district: Henry Parsons, Republican, 7,470; all others, 70.

Sixth District.—Acton, Ashby, Ayer, Bedford, Billerica, Boxborough, Burlington, Carlisle, Concord, Dunstable, Groton, Hudson, Littleton, Wards 5. 9, *of Lowell, Maynard, Pepperell, Reading, Shirley, Stow, Tewksbury, Townsend, Tyngsborough, Westford, Wilmington.*—Hon. WILLIAM H. BRIGHAM, Republican, of Hudson was born Feb. 1, 1863, in Marlboro; educated in the public schools. Is a shoe manufacturer. On board of selectmen, being chairman of the board 18 years; director of the Hudson national bank, and vice president of the Hudson savings bank. Member of Doric lodge of Masons of Houghton royal arch chapter; Trinity commandery of Knights Templar; No 32, Aleppo Temple, A A O. N. M. S.; of Royal Arcanum; of local tribe of Red Men; and of Middlesex Club. In the House of Representatives of 1892 and 1893, serving on the committee of military affairs, and was House chairman of banks and banking in 1893; on the special committee to Chicago at dedication of World's Fair buildings and also at "Massachusetts Day" the following year; on special committee to attend Gen. Butler's funeral in 1893. Chairman of committee on military affairs, and on committees on eduation, and towns in Senate of 1897.

Vote of district: William H. Brigham, Republican, 6670; A. Fisher, Democrat, 2910.

Seventh District:—Chelmsford, Dracut, Wards, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 7, 8 *of Lowell.*—Hon. GEORGE E. PUTNAM, Republican, of Lowell, was born in in Croydon, N. H., Feb. 9, 1851; educated in its public schools. Been engaged in wholesale produce business, 207 Market street, Lowell, for the last 17 years. Member of Pawtucket lodge of Masons; of Lowell lodge and Monomake encampment of Odd Fellows; Pawtucket lodge of Masons, and Pilgrim Commandery of Knights Templar; of Lowell council of Ancient Order United Workmen, and of Red Men; also of the Highland and County clubs and of Martin Luthers, Lowell. Director in Middlesex safe deposit and trust company, of Lowell. An alderman in 1888-9; water commissioner for four years, term expiring in 1897. Committee on cities in House of 1895; on same committee, 1896. Chairman of committee on cities, and on federal relations and public service, 1897.

Vote of district: E. D. McVay, Democrat, 3857; George E. Putnam, Republican, 6620.

Middlesex-Essex District.—Ward 6 of Lynn, Lynnfield, Middleton, North Reading, Peabody, Saugus, Stoneham, Wakefield, Woburn.—Hon. CHARLES F. WOODWARD, Republican, of Wakefield, was born in that town, Nov. 19, 1852; educated in the public schools and a Boston commercial college. For 20 years was a manufacturer of shoe tools and machinery. For the last 10 years engaged in constructing and managing electric roads. President of the Woburn & Reading, the Mystic Valley, the Wakefield & Stoneham and other street railway companies; president of the Wakefield board of trade, and a vice president of the state board of trade. Member of the Republican state central committee in 1891-2. He was for 15 years an assessor and chairman of the board all but two years. Tax collector since 1883. Member of Golden Rule lodge of Masons; and of the A. O. U. W. Member of the House in 1887, on committees on street railways, and military affairs; in 1888, chairman of military affairs, and clerk of street railways; in 1889, chairman of street railways, and on federal relations; in the recess of 1887, chairman of special committee on armories, on report of which the great state armories were built in the various cities; in the recess of 1888, chairman of special committee on soldiers' records. In Aug. 1869, joined Co. A., 6th regiment formerly the Richardson Light Guards; sergeant, 1st sergeant, 2d lieutenant, captain, major, lieutenant colonel, now holding the latter office. A contributing member of the G. A. R. Chairman of committee on towns; and on insurance, and military affairs, 1897.

Vote of district: J. P. Crane, Democrat, 4439; F. E. Oelcher, Socialist Labor, 133; Charles F. Woodward, Republican, 6192.

NORFOLK COUNTY.

First District.—Braintree, Canton, Holbrook, Hyde Park, Milton, Quincy, Randolph, Weymouth.—Hon. JAMES H. FLINT, of Weymouth, Republican, was born in Middleton, June 25, 1852; educated in public schools and Phillips Academy of Andover, valedictorian of class of 1872; Harvard College 1876; Boston University, 1881. Principal of Marblehead High school 1876-80. One year in New York city law office. Admitted to Suffolk bar, 1882; practiced in Boston, Weymouth, and Quincy since. Author of "Flint on Trusts and Trustees;" editor of "Lewin on Trusts;" and has done a good deal of literary work of various kinds. On school committee of Weymouth last eight years. Secretary of Republican league of Massachusetts in campaign of 1888. Special justice of district court of eastern Norfolk at Quincy several years, besides holding various other positions of minor importance. Past grand chancellor and grand representative in Knights of Pythias; Delta lodge of Masons; New England Order of Protection, and supreme representative. Trustee of Weymouth savings bank, director of South Shore co-operative bank, member of Boston Bar Association. Chairman of Republican town committee since 1895. On committees on street railways, and probate and insolvency in House of 1894. House chairman of committee on street railways and on probate and insolvency, 1895; same positions, 1896. Chairman of committee on insurance, and on probate and insolvency, and on ways and means, 1897.

Vote of district. James H. Flint, Republican, 7396; J. D. Grant, Democrat, 2936; F. W. Hardwick, Peoples Party, 327,

Second District:—Avon, Bellingham, Brookline, Dedham, Dover, Foxborough, Franklin, Medfield, Medway, Millis, Needham, Norfolk, Norwood, Sharon, Stoughton, Walpole, Wellesley, Wrentham, Westwood.—Hon. CLARKE P. HARDING, of Medway, Republican, was born in that town, June 20, 1853; educated at its public schools, at Dean Academy of Franklin, Clark's Home School of Needham, and Bryant & Stratton's commercial college, Boston. Real estate business. Member of fire department since 1869; on board of engineers four years, clerk of same two years, and its chief three. Selectman in 1892 93-95. Past master of Charles River lodge of Masons; district deputy of 20th district two years; past senior grand steward of grand lodge; past high priest of Miller royal arch chapter of Franklin; and of Fern chapter Order of Eastern Star; P. G., P. G. M., D. D. G. M. of Medway lodge of Odd Fellows; member of Lady Franklin degree lodge of Daughters of Rebekah of Franklin; master workman for seven years of Medway lodge of A. O. U. W. Chairman of Republican town committee. On committee on towns in House of 1893; on committees on federal relations, and roads and bridges, 1894. Chairman of committee on printing; and on prisons, and taxation, 1896. Chairman of committee on printing, and on fisheries and game, and street railways, 1897.

Vote of district: D. H. Fitzpatrick, Democrat, 2487; Clarke P. Harding, Republican, 7543.

PLYMOUTH COUNTY.

First District:—Abington, Carver, Cohasset (Norfolk County), Duxbury, East Bridgewater, Halifax, Hanover, Hanson, Hingham, Hull, Kingston, Marshfield, Norwell, Pembroke, Plymouth, Plympton, Rockland, Scituate, Whitman.—Hon. ALBERT F. BARKER, of Hanson, Republican, was born in Hanson, Oct. 24, 1859; educated in public schools. Is a lawyer. On board of selectmen, assessors and overseers of the poor, 1888 89-90. Member of Plymouth Rock lodge Knights of Pythias and of grand lodge of Massachusetts. Chairman of Republican town committee; associate member of T. L. Bonney post G. A. R. On committee on manufactures, in House of 1894; House chairman of committee on constitutional amendments and on committee on manufactures, 1895. Chair-

man of committees on constitutional amendments, and agriculture; also on probate and insolvency and election laws, 1896; chairman of committee on mercantile affairs, and on judiciary and taxation, 1897; also chairman of the special committee on the seats of members, and on the special committee on the councillor contest in the 4th district.

Vote of district: Albert F. Barker, Republican, 5838; C. D. Nash, Democrat, 1960.

Second District.—Bridgewater, Brockton, Lakeville, Marion, Mattapoisett, Middleboro, Rochester, Wareham, West Bridgewater.—Hon. NOBLE W. EVERETT of Wareham, Republican, was born in that town, Feb. 20, 1827; educated in its public and private schools, East Greenwich, R. I., academy, and Wyoming seminary of Kingston, Pa. Taught one year in the last named seminary, and was subsequently a member of the Wyoming Annual Conference of the Methodist Episcopal church for 12 consecutive years. Has served on Wareham school committee for the last 17 years, being chairman most of the time and now holding that position; town historian. Chaplain of the Salem lodge of Masons in Salem, Penn., for two years. Charter member of Everett council American Legion of Honor. Member of the House in 1878 and 1882, serving both years on the committee on education, being its chairman on the part of the House in 1882. Chairman of the committee on parishes and religious societies; and on libraries, and fisheries and game, 1896; chairman of committee, on libraries and parishes and religious societies, and on education, 1897.

Vote of district: E. Cushman, Democrat, 1975; Noble W. Everett, Republican, 5915.

SUFFOLK COUNTY.

First District.—Chelsea, Revere, Winthrop, Ward 1 of Boston.—Hon. ERNEST W. ROBERTS, Republican, of Chelsea, born in East Madison, Me., Nov. 22, 1858; Chelsea schools; Highland Military Academy, Worcester; Boston University law school, 1881. Lawyer. Chelsea common council in 1887-88. Masons. Committee on water supply in House of 1894; House chairman of liquor law, clerk of committee on water supply, chairman of special committee on history of the "Ancient Codfish," 1895. House chairman of liquor law, and clerk of water supply, 1896. Chairman of committee on water supply, and on drainage, and ways and means, 1897.

Vote of district: F. W. Day, Democrat, 2974; Ernest W. Roberts, Republican, 6685.

Second District.—Ward 3, 4, 5 of Boston, Ward 3 of Cambridge.—Hon. JAMES E. HAYES of Boston, Democrat, was born in the present Charlestown district, Aug. 10, 1865; educated at the Prescott grammar school, and Boston College, class of 1885. Was then a teacher, teaching the truant boys for a year and a half: appointed sub-master of the Frothingham grammar school in Charlestown, 1887, and there remained until 1893. Studied law while teaching, and was admitted to the bar in 1891. Member of Young Men's Catholic Association of Boston College, of Evening Star court, M. C. O. F., and is supreme officer of the Knights of Columbus of America. Member of the House of Representatives in 1893, on committee on judiciary; also member in 1894, on committees on judiciary, elections, and rules. Member of committees on judiciary, liquor law, and public charitable institutions in Senate of 1897.

Vote of district: James E. Hayes, Democrat, 4924; W. H. Holden, Republican, 3252.

Third District.—Wards 2, 6, 8 of Boston.—Hon. MARTIN M. LOMASNEY, of Boston, Democrat, was born in that city, Dec. 3, 1859; educated in its public schools. Is a real estate agent. Member of board of aldermen, 1893-4-5. On

committees on engrossed bills, constitutional amendments, and manufactures, in Senate of 1896; on committees on constitutional amendments, harbors and public lands, manufactures, and public health, 1897.

Vote of district; F. K. Bradman, Republican, 3,276; Martin M. Lomasney, Democrat, 5,289.

Fourth District.—Wards 7, 9, 17 *of Boston.*—Hon. JOHN QUINN, Jr., was born in Boston, Dec. 16, 1860, and was educated in its public schools, graduating from the English high school. Is a ship broker. Was member of the common council in 1891-92; is notary public and justice of peace. Member of St. James Young Men's Christian Temperance Society, Young Men's Catholic Association of Boston College, and Young Men's Christian Union. On committee on rapid transit, House of 1893; election laws, and clerk of comittee on transit, House of 1894. Committees on rules, banks and banking, woman suffrage, Senate of 1895. On committees on rules, banks and banking, and metropolitan affaits; and on special committees on investigation of building Norfolk county court house at Dedham and on redistricting the state, 1896; on committees on rules, banks and banking, libraries, and metropolitan affairs, 1897.

Vote of district: John Quinn, Jr., Democrat, 5,154; J. J. Shriftgeisser, Republican, 3,391.

Fifth District.—Wards 10, 12, 18 *of Boston.*—Hon. WILLIAM W. TOWLE, Republican, of Boston, was born in Fryeburg, Me., Aug. 21, 1860; educated in Fryeburg academy, and in Bowdoin College, class of 1881; and in Boston University Law School, class of 1884. Is a lawyer. Member of common council in 1889-90. Member of Wm. Parkman lodge of Masons of Winchester. Member of House in 1895, on committee on probate and insolvency and chairman of the former committee, and on bills in 3d reading, and metropolitan affairs, 1897.

Vote of district: C. A. McNamee, Democrat, 2,926; William W. Towle, Republican, 7,019.

Sixth District.—Wards 13, 14, 15 *of Boston.*—Hon. JAMES A. GALLIVAN, Democrat, was born in South Boston, Oct. 22, 1866, and has always resided in Ward 13. Graduated from the Lawrence grammar school and the Boston Latin school, receiving the Franklin medal at graduation. Entered Harvard University in 1884; and graduated with the degree A. B. in 1888. Since graduation has been engaged in journalism, writing for most of the Boston dailies. Member of Knights of Columbus, South Boston Historical Society, A. O. H., Catholic Alumni club of Boston, and other societies. On special committee to prepare history of the "Ancient Codfish" that hangs in the hall of the House, and prepared the historical report of that committee. Committee on banks and banking in House of 1895; on committees on ways and means, and congressional redistricting in Boston in House of 1896; on committees on engrossed bills, mercantile affairs, and clerk of ways and means in Senate of 1897.

Vote of district: James A Gallivan, Democrat, 6,381; W. T. Rice, Republican, 2,680.

Seventh District.—Wards 16, 20, 24 *of Boston.*—Hon. CHARLES E. FOLSOM, Republican, was born in Boston, Feb. 24, 1855; educated in the public schools. In the paint and oil business. Member of the Boston common council in 1891-2; of the Boston board of aldermen in 1893-4-5-6. Member of Dorchester council of Royal Arcanum, of the A. O. U. W., of the Home Circle, and of the Old Dorchester club. Chairman of committee on public health; and on cities, and manufactures, 1897.

Vote of district: Charles E. Folsom, Republican, 7,245; Richard King, Democrat, 3,136.

Eighth District.—Wards 21, 22, 23 *of Boston.*—Hon. WILLIAM W. DAVIS, Republican, was born in Cambridge, Aug. 6, 1862; educated in its public schools. In hotel business since 1888, and is manager of the Norfolk House, Boston. A. F. & A. M., Royal Arcanum, Home Circle, Mass. Hotel Association, H M. M. B. A., Middlesex club, Dudley association, Lincoln Republican club. In Boston common council, 1894. Committee on insurance in Aouse of 1895; clerk of committees on insurance and on State House, 1896; chairman of committee on election laws, and on libraries, and mercantile affairs, 1897.

Vote of district: B H. Couig, Democrat, 3,114; William W. Davis, Republican, 7,201.

Ninth District.—Wards, 11, 19, 25, *of Boston.*—Hon. JOSHUA BENNETT HOLDEN, of Boston, Republican, was born in Woburn, March 5, 1850; educated in private schools and Harvard Law School, class of 1871. Has charge of real estate in Boston and Lowell belonging to the Joshua Bennett estate and the estate of George Holden, and has also large real estate interests of his own to look after Is a Knight Templar and 32d degree Mason. Member of Boston common council, 1893-4. Has a fine country place at Billerica, which was the homestead of his parents and grandparents, and takes a great interest in the affairs of the townl Committee on railroads in House of 1895. On committees on constitutiona. amendments, and on railroads, 1896; also on special committee on redistricting the state. Chairman of committee on State House; and on federal relations, and railroads, 1897.

Vote of district; Joshua Bennett Holden, Republican, 5,606; R. Sullivan, Democrat, 3,588.

WORCESTER COUNTY.

First District.—Wards 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 *of Worcester.*—Hon. ELLERY BICKNELL CRANE, Republican, of Worcester, was born in Colebrook, Coos county, N. H., Nov. 12, 1836. In 1837, with a few other families, his parents removed to the West and founded what is now the city of Beloit, Rock county, Wisconsin. Was here educated in the public schools and Beloit Seminary, the latter institution being the foundation of the present Beloit College. In April, 1867, removed to Worcester and has since lived there, being engaged in the lumber business. President of the Builders' Exchange, 1886 7-8. President of the Worcester county mechanics' association 1890 1891. President of the Worcester Society of Antiquity 1881 to 1893. In common council, 1876-7-8-9; in aldermen, 1886, and 1887; is also a director and a vice president of the Equity co-operative bank. Cast his first presidential vote for Abraham Lincoln, at a place called Strawberry Valley, situated on the Sierra Nevada Mountains, California, 1860. On committee on constitutional amendments in House of 1895; on elections, 1896. Chairman of committee on taxation, and on election laws, and roads and bridges, 1897.

Vote of district: Ellery B. Crane, Republican, 6790; E. Earle, Democrat, 2301.

Second District.—Berlin, Bolton, Boylston, Clinton, Harvard, Holden, Lancaster, Sterling, West Boylston, Wards 1, 2, 3 *of Worcester.*—Hon. ALFRED SEELYE ROE of Worcester, Republican, was born in Rose, Wayne county, N. Y., June 8, 1844. Graduated from Wesleyan University, 1870; from that date to 1875, principal of the Ashland, Mass., High school; from 1875 to 1880, a master in Worcester High school; and from 1880 to 1890 was principal of same. Served during the Rebellion in 9th New York Heavy Artillery, and was captured at Monocacy, Md., July 9, 1864, being held a prisoner till 22d of the following February. House chairman of committee on libraries, and on committee on education, 1892. House chairman of committee on education in House of 1893. Held same position in 1894; also clerk of committees on woman suffrage, and on committee on

libraries; House chairman on education, clerk of committee on woman suffrage, and on committee on cities, 1895; on committees on education, (chairman); cities and State House, Senate of 1896; chairman of committee on education and on cities, public service and State House, 1897.

Vote of district: C. S. Dodge, Democrat, 2480; Alfred S. Roe, Republican, 6400.

Third District.—Ashburnham, Athol, Fitchburg, Gardner, Leominster, Royalston, Westminster, Winchendon, Lunenburg.—Hon. HARDING R. BARBER, of Athol, Republican, was born in Warwick, Dec. 20, 1839; educated in its public schools. Served as clerk in stores in Erving, Athol, Orange, Greenfield and South Royalston until 1862. Enlisted in Co. E, 53d Massachusetts infantry, August, 1862; discharged Sept. 2, 1863. Served three terms as worshipful master of Star lodge of Masons; Eastern Star lodge, Knights of Honor. Been in business of trunks, bags, harness and horse furnishing for nearly thirty years. Member of H. V. Smith post G. A. R. Committee on federal relations in House of 1895; committee on prisons, 1896. Chairman of committee on agriculture; and on parishes and religious societies, and prisons, 1897.

Vote of district: Harding R. Barber Republican, 6794; D. B. Phelan, Democrat, 2099; H. D. Rice, Prohibition, 366.

Fourth District.—Barre, Brookfield, Charlton, Dana, Dudley, Hardwick, Hubbardston, Leicester, North Brookfield, New Braintree, Oakham, Paxton, Petersham, Phillipston, Rutland, Southbridge, Spencer, Sturbridge, Templeton Warren, Webster, West Brookfield.—Hon. ERASTUS JONES of Spencer, Repub. lican, was born in that town, Sept. 25, 1825; educated in its public schools, Manufacturer of boots and shoes. Town treasurer from 1881 to the present; president of Spencer national bank since 1875. In House of 1874, on committee on manufactures. Chairman of committee on liquor law; and on banks and banking, and printing, Senate of 1896; chairman of committee on banks and banking, and on printing and taxation, 1897.

Vote of district: Erastus Jones, Republican, 5639; J. M. Olney, Democrat, 2529; H. M. Small, Prohibition, 208.

Fifth District.—Auburn, Blackstone, Douglas, Grafton, Hopedale, Mendon, Milford, Millbury, Northborough, Northbridge, Oxford, Shrewsbury, Southborough, Sutton, Upton, Uxbridge, Westborough.—Hon. WILLIAM H. COOK of Milford, Republican, born in Bennington, Vt., Jan. 7, 1843; educated in the public schools. Came to Massachusetts in 1872. Publisher of Milford Daily Journal and other papers. In House of 1877, committee on printing; in 1878, committee on Hoosac Tunnel. Was first president of Suburban Press Association, for three years; president of Mass. Press Association two years; president of Massachusetts Republican Editorial Association, since it was established in 1891. Member of Stark lodge of Masons Bennington, Vt. Chairman of committee on prisons and on liquor law, and engrossed bills; and on special committee on redistricting the State in Senate of 1896. Chairman of committees on liquor law, and prisons; and on committees on engrossed bill, and parishes and religious societies in Senate of 1897.

Vote of district: William H. Cook, Republican, 5844; S. Stockwell, Democrat, 2489; E. S. Tingley, Prohibition, 178.

COMPOSITE DISTRICTS.

Berkshire and Hampshire.—Alford, Becket, Egremont, Great Barrington Lee, Lenox, Monterey, Mount Washington, New Marlboro, Otis, Richmond, Sandisfield, Sheffield, Stockbridge, Tyringham, Washington, West Stockbridge in Berkshire county; Chesterfield, Cummington, Easthampton, Goshen, Hadley,

Hatfield, Huntington, Middlefield, Northampton, Plainfield, South Hadley, Southampton, Westhampton, Williamsburg, Worthington in Hampshire county; Blandford, Chester, Russell in Hampden county.—Hon. RICHARD W. IRWIN, of Northampton, Republican, was born in that city, Feb. 18, 1857; educated in public schools and Boston University Law School, class of 1885. After leaving public schools, learned machinist's trade in Florence Sewing Machine Company's shop. Then worked two and half years in machine department of Elgin (Ill.) Watch Company. Returned to Natick, and was in house-furnishing business with his brother, T. L. Irwin. Entered Boston University Law School in 1882, graduating with LL. B. in 1885. Admitted to Hampshire county bar same year, and has practiced in Northampton ever since. Member of common council, 1888 and 1889, president of same latter year. Now serving sixth consecutive year as city solicitor. First lieut. Co. I 2d Regiment, from Nov. 25, 1887, to Aug. 27, 1889; capt. of same from latter date to Aug. 20, 1892, when resigned. Member of Nonotock lodge of Odd Fellows. Member of the local lodge of Masons. Clerk of committee on probate and insolvency, and on committee on constitutional amendments in the House of 1894; House chairman of committee on bills in 3d reading, on committees on judiciary and rules, and on the special committee to prepare a history of "Ye Ancient Codfish" in the hall of the House, 1895; chairman of committees on cities, and bills in third reading; and on counties, Senate of 1896; chairman of committee on street railways, and on judiciary, and rules, 1897.

Vote of district: A. Buck, Democrat, 2,662; Richard W. Irwin, Republican, 6,411; H. C. Smith, Prohibition, 422.

Cape District.—Barnstable, Brewster, Bourne, Chatham, Dennis, Eastham Falmouth, Harwich, Mashpee, Orleans, Provincetown, Sandwich, Truro, Wellfleet, and Yarmouth in the county of Barnstable; Chilmark, Cottage City, Edgartown, Gay Head, Gosnold, Tisbury, West Tisbury, in the county of Dukes; and Nantucket.—Hon. WILLIAM A. MORSE, of Tisbury, Republican, born in Boston July 27, 1863, but has always resided at Vineyard Haven, Martha's Vineyard. After completing his studies at the island schools, he studied at Hebron Academy, Me., and at Worcester Academy. Studied law with Knowlton & Perry, New Bedford, Prince & Peabody, Boston, and at Boston University. Admitted to Suffolk bar Jan. 26, 1886, and since admitted to the United States circuit and district courts, and the United States supreme court. Is a lawyer, with offices in the Equitable Building, Boston. For the heroic rescue, by a perilous dive, of a fisherman's son from drowning at No Man's Island while he was still a law student, was given a valuable medal by the Massachusetts Humane Society. Member of Paul Revere lodge of Odd Fellows, Somerville; of Martha's Vineyard lodge of Masons. In House of Representatives, 1893, on committees on county estimates and State House. In Senate of 1895, chairman of committee on engrossed bills; and on committees on judiciary, and harbors and public lands. Chairman of committee on insurance; and on judiciary, and harbors and public lands, 1896. Chairman of committee on judiciary, and on counties, and harbors and public lands 1897.

Vote of district: William A. Morse, Republican, 4938; C. C. Paine, Democrat, 768.

Franklin-Hampshire District.—Amherst, Ashfield, Belchertown, Bernardston, Buckland, Charlemont, Colrain, Conway, Deerfield, Enfield, Erving, Gill, Granby, Greenfield, Greenwich, Hawley, Heath, Leverett, Leyden, Monroe, Montague, New Salem, Northfield, Orange, Pelham, Prescott, Rowe, Shelburne, Shutesbury, Sunderland, Ware, Warwick, Wendell, Whately.—Hon. JOSEPH B. FARLEY, Republican, of Erving, was born in Colrain, Oct. 10, 1847; educated in the public schools and Shelburne Falls Academy. Is a paper manufacturer, but was a merchant for some years. Selectman of Orange in 1891-2; water

commissioner in 1893-4-5; past master of Orange lodge, and past high priest of Abanaque chapter of Masons. Member of the House in 1893-4, on committees on prisons, (chairman in 1894,) and county estimates. Chairman of committee on public service; and on ways and means, and street railways in 1897.

Vote of district: Joseph B. Farley, Republican, 6993; all others 53.

THE CHAPLAIN AND CLERKS.

Rev. Edmund Dowse, the chaplain, was born in Sherborn, Mass., September, 17, 1813; graduated at Amherst College in 1836; was ordained and installed pastor of Pilgrim church, Sherborn, his native town, in 1838, and is still the only acting pastor. Was a member of the Massachusetts Senate in 1869 and 1870; was chosen chaplain of the Senate in 1880, and has been re-elected each succeeding year up to the present time.

Henry Dingley Coolidge, of Concord, the clerk, was born in Chelsea, Aug. 26, 1858; was educated in the public schools; spent several years in mercantile business. Upon the death of the venerable Hon. Stephen N. Gifford, clerk of the Senate, in May, 1886, and the election of his assistant, E. H. Clapp, as his successor, Mr. Coolidge was appointed by the latter as his assistant. He held this position in 1887 and 1888, and was unanimously elected clerk in 1889, Mr. Clapp having removed from the state. He has been unanimously re-elected each year since.

William H. Sanger, assistant clerk, was born in Louisville, Ky., March 12, 1862, his parents removing to Boston in 1866; attended the public schools of Boston and Hyde Park, graduating from the High school of the latter in 1880. After graduation did "suburban" work for the Boston Journal until 1889, when he was appointed to his present positon. Resigning his connection with the Journal in 1888, took charge of the New England correspondence of the New York Sun, and held that position until 1894. Is now New England correspondent of the New York Evening Sun and Philadelphia Inquirer.

Karl T. Taylor, Clerical assistant, was born in Manchester, N. H., March 15, 1874; educated in the High school and Boston University College of Liberal Art class of 1895, and Boston University Law School, class of 1898. Has been reporter on the Boston Journal and City Press Association.

THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

THE SPEAKER.

Hon. John L. Bates, Republican, was born in (North) Easton, Sept. 18, 1859; educated in Boston public schools; Boston University, class of 1882; Boston University Law School, class of 1885 Taught school in Western New York, 1882-83, and in Boston in 1883-4; admitted to Suffolk bar, 1885, and practiced in Boston since that time. Member of common council, 1891-92. Director and secretary of Columbia trust company. President, 1893-4, of East Boston citizens' trade association, trustee of Meridian Street Methodist Bethel church, and of Bromfield Street M E. church. Member of Baalbec lodge of Masons, and of St. John's chapter; of Zenith lodge of Odd Fellows; and president of the United Order of the Pilgrim Fathers, 1892-3-4. On committees on insurance and revision

of corporation laws in House of 1894; House chairman of committee on insurance, and on committee on metropolitan affairs, 1895; chairman of House committee on bills in 3d reading, and on metropolitan affairs, 1896.

BARNSTABLE COUNTY.

District No. 1.—Barnstable, Bourne, Falmouth, Mashpee, Sandwich.—CHARLES C. CROCKER of Barnstable (Hyannis), Republican, was born in that town (West Barnstable) Aug. 21, 1831; educated in public and private schools. Carriage manufacturer. Selectman, chairman of assessors and overseers of the poor since 1883. Member of Fraternal lodge of Masons and of Orient chapter of Hyannis; treasurer of both. Committee on towns in House of 1896; on same committee, 1897.

Vote of district: Charles C. Crocker, Republican, 1709, all others, 8.

District No. 2.—Chatham, Dennis, Harwich, Yarmouth.—LUTHER HALL, Republican, of Dennis was born in that town, Nov. 5, 1842; educated in the public schools. Was in the dry goods and grocery business, for 20 years; since that time has been in the commission business and in cranberry culture on an extended scale. Postmaster at Dennis from 1872 to 1884. Member of the school board since 1868, serving as chairman for the last 16 years and superintendent from 1880 to '91. A trustee in Bass River savings bank. Member of Hotel Men's mutual association; of Cape Cod lodge of Knights of Honor; and of the Royal Arcanum. Enlisted, Sept. 16, 1862, in the 5th regiment, and served nine months in the department of North Carolina, term expiring, July 1, 1863; re-enlisted in same regiment, July 27, 1864, serving 100 days in the Eighth army corps; afterwards commissioned by Gov. Andrew as captain in the militia. Member of F. D. Hammon post No. 141, G. A. R. On committees on elections, and parishes and religious societies, 1897.

Vote of district. Luther Hall, Republican, 1381; Seth Taylor, Democrat, 127.

District No. 3.—Brewster, Eastham, Orleans, Provincetown, Truro, Wellfleet.—FRANK H. PERVERE, Republican, of Wellfleet, was born in that town, March 24, 1831; educated in the public schools. Is a master mariner. Member of Adams lodge of Masons, and of St. Andrews chapter. Clerk of committee on harbors and public lands in House of 1897.

Vote of district: Frank H. Pervere, Republican, 1063; all others, 1.

BERKSHIRE COUNTY.

District No. 1.—Clarksburg, North Adams.—JOHN EDWARD MAGENIS, Republican, of North Adams, was born there, May 5, 1873; educated in Drury Academy in North Adams; entered Boston University School of Law in 1891 and graduated as alternate class orator of the class in 1894. Admitted to the Berkshire bar in the same year and has since practiced law in North Adams. Youngest member of the Legislature. Especially prominent in the successful effort to modify the law of newspaper libel. On committee on judiciary in House of 1897.

CLINTON Q. RICHMOND of North Adams, Republican, was born in Hoosick, N. Y., Dec. 18, 1859; educated in Drury High school and Amherst College, class of 1881. President of the Hoosac Valley street railway company. Member of the school committee from 1886 until 1896. On committee on mercantile affairs, also on special committee for investigation of Norfolk county commissioners in House of 1896; House chairman of committee on public service, and on libraries in House of 1897.

Vote of district: H. A. Cady, Democrat Independent, 1326; T. J. Crowley, Democrat, 663; John E. Magenis, Republican, 1368; Clinton Q. Richmond, Republican, 1745; A. M. Whipple, Democrat, 377.

District No. 2.—Dalton, Hancock, Lanesborough, New Ashford, Williamstown.—ALMON E. HALL, Republican, of Williamstown, was born in Stamford, Vt., Dec 6, 1846; educated in the public schools, Wesleyan Academy and Wesleyan University, class of 1872; and in the Boston University School of Theology. Was a Methodist Episcopal minister until his health failed in 1877, and he was an invalid for 10 years. Since then has been engaged in farming, general merchandise and real estate business. Superintendent of schools in Stamford, Vt., 1880-1-2; chairman of Williamstown school committee in 1896-7. Clerk of committee on education, and on liquor law in House of 1897.

Vote of district: Thomas Crane, Democrat, 469; Almon E. Hall, Republican, 1000.

District No. 3.—Adams, Cheshire, Florida, Savoy, Windsor.—JULIUS C. ANTHONY, Republican. of Adams, was born in that town, Sept. 24, 1856; educated in the public schools. Is a merchant. Member of Masons and of Knights Templar. being past master and past high priest; connected with the fire department for 20 years. On committee on street railways in House of 1897.

Vote of district: Julius C. Anthony, Republican, 966; Patrick Henessy, Democrat, 576.

District No. 4.—Pittsfield.—JOHN M. STEVENSON of Pittsfield, Republican, was born in Cambridge, N. Y., Aug. 31, 1846; educated in public schools; Phillips Academy at Andover class of 1865; and two years at Yale College, class of 1869. Is in the insurance business, being the secretary and treasurer of the Berkshire Mutual fire insurance company since 1879. On committee on public charitable institutions, House of 1897. Elected at special election to fill vacancy caused by death of Representative-elect E. N. Robbins, who died Dec. 8; vote for Stevenson, Republican, 1568; for J. R. Feeley, Democrat, 1347.

WILLIAM A. WHITTLESEY, Republican, was born in Danbury, Conn., February 21, 1849; educated in public schools of Danbury, and at Marietta College, Marietta, Ohio, class of 1870. In the wholesale woolen business in Detroit, Mich. for four years, and then in charge of the literary department of the Henry A. Tilden Company of New Lebanon, N. Y., for three years. Seven years in the lumber business in Wisconsin. In 1887 took charge of the Pittsfield Illuminating Company, Pittsfield, Mass., which consolidated in two years with the Pittsfield Electric Company, of which he became treasurer and manger. For three years treasurer of the Stanley Electric Mfg. Company, established largely by his influence, and is now one of its directors. A director of the Agricultural national bank; president of the board of trade. A 32° Mason; member of Berkshire commandery of Knights Templar. Clerk of committee on roads and bridges, and on committee on State House in House of 1897.

Vote of district: (regular election) H. M. Acly, Prohibition, 38; G. W. Bailey, Democrat, 1158; J. H. Daly, Democrat, 1235; Z. A. Ward, Prohibition, 62; W. A. Whittlesey, Republican, 1952.

District No. 5.—Becket, Hinsdale, Lenox, Peru, Richmond, Washington, West Stockbridge.—THOMAS POST, Republican, of Lenox, was born there Aug. 16, 1834; educated in public schools. Is a lawyer. Member of the House in 1862-3-82-7, on committees on probate and insolvency, election laws, constitutional amendments, manufactures, and the special committees on the Beverly bribery investigation and the state liquor agency investigation. House chairman of committee on probate and insolvency, and on mercantile affairs in House of 1897.

Vote of district: C. E. Lyman, Prohibition, 37; Thomas Post, Republican, 651; R. A. Stanley, Democrat, 646.

District No. 6:—Lee, New Marlboro, Otis, Sandisfield, Stockbridge, Tyringham.—ALBERT B. CLARK, Republican, of Lee, was born in Sheffield, June 5, 1854; educated at the Sheffield High school and South Berkshire Institute. Is a lawyer. Special justice of the Lee police court since 1881. Member of Evening Star lodge of Masons. Member of committees on constitutional amendments, and probate and insolvency in the House of 1897; also on special investigation committee of impeachment of Norfolk county commissioners.

Vote of district: Albert B. Clark, Republican, 855; S. V. Halsey, Prohibition, 69; H. L. Smith, Democrat, 650.

District No. 7.—Alford, Egremont, Great Barrington, Monterey, Mt. Washington, Sheffield.—GEORGE W. MELLEN, sound money Democrat, of Great Barrington, was born in Hartford, Ct., May 11, 1837, and removed to Sandisfield, Mass., in 1842; educated in the public schools. Removed to Great Barrington in 1868. In the boot and shoe business. Selectman in 1890-1-2-3. Member of Cincinnatus lodge and Monument chapter of Masons. On committee on towns in House of 1897.

Vote of district: George W. Mellen, Democrat, 933; P. A. Russell, Republican, 701.

BRISTOL COUNTY.

District No. 1.—Attleboro, North Attleboro, Rehoboth, Seekonk.—ALFRED R. CROSBY, Republican, of Attleboro, was born in Glover, Vt., Aug. 30, 1838; educated in public schools and academy. Since 1874 has been member of the firm of Smith & Crosby, manufacturing jewelers. Enlisted Sept. 26, 1861, in Co. M, 1st New Hampshire artillery, and served in the Army of the Potomac. Mustered out in June, 1865. Member of Wm. A. Streeter post No. 155 G. A. R. Member of school board, 1887 93. Past master of E. Bates lodge of Masons; past high priest of King Hiram chapter; past thrice illustrious master of Attleboro council, and past eminent commander of Bristol commandery of Knights Templar On committees on elections, and constitutional amendments in House of 1897.

BURRILL PORTER, JR., Republican of No. Attleboro, was born in Charlestown, N. H., Feb. 22, 1832. Educated in public schools of Langdon, N. H., in academies at Westminster and Saxton's River, Vt.; Dartmouth College, class of 1856. Was a teacher until 1879, during which time he taught academies in Canaan, Alstead, and Swanzey, N. H., and public schools in Cleveland and Fostoria, Ohio, and Braintree and Attleboro, Mass. Served five years as selectman, assessor, and overseer of the poor, and collector of taxes of Attleboro; postmaster at North Attleboro four years, until July 1888. Represented First Bristol representative district in the Legislature of Massachusetts in 1881. Editor of the Evening Chronicle, North Attleboro. Member of Aurora lodge, No. 107, I. O. O. F. On committee on printing, and clerk of committee on constitutional amendments in House, 1893; House chairman of committee on printing, and on committee on towns, 1894; House chairman of committee on printing and on committee on education, 1895; House chairman of committee on printing, and clerk of committee on education, 1896; House chairman of committee on education, 1897.

Vote of district: Alfred R. Crosby, Republican, 2106; Burrill Porter, Jr. Republican, 1740; all others, 7.

District No. 2.—Easton, Mansfield, Raynham.—FRANK W. BARNARD, Republican, of Mansfield, was born in Wrentham, Jan. 3, 1853; educated in the public schools and Day's academy. Is in the jewelry business. Member of board of registrars four years; tax collector one year. Master of St. James lodge of Masons. On committee on labor in House of 1897.

Vote of district: Frank W. Barnard, Republican, 995; F. W. Shepard, Democrat, 612.

District No. 3.—Wards 5, 7, 8, of Taunton.—LYMAN MASON, Republican, was born in Middleboro, in the part now Lakeville, April 4, 1838; educated in public and private schools. Enlisted May 15, 1863, in Co. I, 1st California cavalry, serving in that state, Arizona, and New Mexico; mustered out, May 21, 1866. Member of William H. Bartlett post No. 3 G. A. R. and has held all its offices up to senior vice commander. Is in the hardware, stove furnaces and plumbing business, and is a master plumber. Member of John Hancock lodge of Knights of Pythias, and has held all its offices. On committee on counties in the House of 1897.

Vote of district: E. E. Donovan, Democrat, 513; Lyman Mason, Republican, 1031.

District No. 4.—Wards 2, 3, 4 of Taunton.—SILAS D. REED, Republican, was born there, June 25, 1872; educated in the public schools, and Bristol Academy, class of 1889; Amherst College, class of 1893; Boston University Law School during years 1894 and 1895. Since summer of 1895 in law office with Ex-Mayor Charles A. Reed of Taunton. Prominent and active locally in secret fraternities; thirty-second degree Mason and a Shriner; past grand of Sabbatia lodge of Odd Fellows, also member of Naomi Encampment and Canton Cohannet; member of Taunton past grands' association; past chancellor Taunton lodge K. of P.; first past officer El Katif Temple. Knights of Khorassan, the original Knights of Khorassan in the New England states; member of grand lodge Knights of Pythias; member of Eastern past chancellors' association; member of league of American Wheelmen; the Taunton Cycle Club and the Bristol county wheelmen; member of Massachusetts Republican club, and Taunton Republican club. Life member of Old Colony Historical Society and Bristol County agricultural society. Fraternity editor of Taunton Evening News, 1896. On committee on railroads in House of 1897.

Vote of district: C. H. Brown, Democrat, 309; Silas D. Reed, Republican, 1180.

District No. 5.—Berkley, Dighton, Wards 1, 6 of Taunton.—WILLIAM W. WATERMAN, Republican, of Taunton, was born in Dighton, Mass., Dec. 4, 1831; educated in public schools, Andover Phillips Academy, Kimball Union Academy, Brown University and medical department of New York City University. Professor of chemistry of Metropolitan Medical College in 1856-7. Teacher and school superintendent in Illinois, Wisconsin and Nevada 1858-68; superintendent of public schools in Clinton and Taunton 1869-89. President of New England association of school superintendents 1875; vice president of Massachusetts teachers' association 1879-91; vice president of American Institute of Instruction 1883-94. Member of Ionic lodge of Masons; chaplain of St. Mark's royal arch chapter; member of New Bedford council of Royal and Select Master's past grand of King Phillip lodge of Odd Fellows; member of Massachusetts grand lodge of Odd Fellows; past dictator and chaplain of Samoset lodge of Knights of Honor. Park commissioner, re-appointed in 1895 for five years. Member of committee on education in House of 1896, and on education and drainage in 1897.

Vote of district: William W. Waterman, Republican, 1158; all others, 0.

District No. 6.—Acushnet, Dartmouth, Fairhaven, Freetown.—EDWARD R. ASHLEY, Republican, was born in that part of Fairhaven now known as Acushnet, May 15, 1824; educated in the public and private schools. From 1840 to 1867 followed the sea as a whaler, making voyages to the polar seas, and was a master mariner from 1852 to 1867. For 29 years has held minor town offices. Is a member of Star in the East lodge and of Adoniram chapter, and Sutton

commandery of Masons. Justice of the peace; member of committee on fisheries and game, 1897.

Vote of district: Edward R. Ashley, Republican, 1124; all others, 2.

District No. 7.—Wards 1, 2, 3, *of New Bedford.*—THOMAS M. DENHAM, Republican, of New Bedford, was born in that city Feb. 2, 1840; educated in public schools, graduating from the High school in 1856. From 1856 to 1868, clerk and book keeper for the "Daily Standard" and "Daily Mercury," in the office of Potter & Doane, whaling agents, and for about two years with W. A. Beard & Co., of Hilton Head, S. C., in the sutlering business. In 1868, started in shirt manufacturing business in New Bedford, and has continually increased his product until now in one day in good times he turns out as much as he did in his first whole year. In 1873, took his brother Edward into partnership, under the firm name of T. M. Denham & Brother. In common council, 1876. Chairman of New Bedford Republican city committee. His father was member of the House in 1854-5, sitting under the "Cod-fish," where the son sat with him one day. His father also served on same committee as son,—that on prisons,—House of 1895; House chairman of same committee, 1896; House chairman of committee on prisons, 1897.

SAMUEL ROSS, Republican, cotton mule spinner, of New Bedford, was born in Cheshire, England, Feb. 2, 1865. He has been prominent in labor circles, and was president of the National Cotton Mule Spinners' association at its inception. He is now secretary of that association, and of the New Bedford Mule Spinners' association. He was in the House in 1892, serving on the committee on labor; House chairman of the same committee in House of 1893; held the same position, 1894. House chairman of committee on labor, and on committee on State House, 1895; House chairman of committee on labor, and on State House, 1896; House chairman of committee on labor, 1897.

Vote of district: G. P. Bailey, Republican Independent, 664; Thomas M. Denham, Republican, 1725; B. F. Hathaway, Jr., Democrat, 376; E. M. Murphy, Democrat, 520; Samuel Ross, Republican, 1741.

District No. 8.—Wards 4, 5, 6 *of New Bedford.*—FRANK W. FRANCIS, Republican, of New Bedford was born in that city, Sept. 16, 1857; educated in the public schools. Is a cigar manufacturer and tobacconist. Member of Eureka lodge of Masons, of Acushnet lodge of Odd Fellows, of Union lodge of Knights of Pythias, and of Century lodge of A. O. U. W. In the House of 1892, on committee on State House, and clerk of committee on county estimates; on committee on counties, 1896; on committee on harbors and public lands, 1897.

FRED D. STANLEY, Republican, of New Bedford was born in Leicester, Vt., Oct. 17, 1863; educated in the public schools; studied law at Harvard Law School and with Crapo, Clifford & Clifford of New Bedford; admitted to bar, Jan. 18, 1893; is a lawyer. Between 1882 and 1889 was in the lumber business in Minnesota. Member of Masons, and Knights Templar. On committee on railroads, 1895; House chairman of the same committee, 1896; same position, and on State House, 1897.

Vote of district: J. L. Ballou, Republican Independent, N. P., 770; T. B. Baylies, Democrat, 337; Frank W. Francis, Republican, 1810; M. J. Hart, Democrat, 608; Fred D. Stanley, Republican, 1587.

District No. 9.—Wards 1, 2 *of Fall River, Westport.*—Hon. JOSEPH O. NEILL, of Fall River, Republican, dealer in hardware, cutlery, builders' supplies, ammunition, rope, and blocks, was born in Calais, Me,, Jan. 31, 1838, and was educated in the public schools. In April, 1861, enlisted from Taunton in Company G of the 4th Massachusetts, under Capt. Gordon. This was the first regi-

ment in Virginia, landing at Fortress Monroe. Discharged, July 22, 1861, but again enlisted, from Taunton, in Company F, 20th Massachusetts, Nov. 21, 1861. Promoted to 1st sergeant; to 2d lieutenant, May 18, 1862, at Norfolk, Va.; to 1st lieutenant, Nov. 2, 1862, at the front. Resigned, March 19, 1863, at Newport News, Va. Raised a company under Col. Wass for the 60th Massachusetts, and on July 21, 1864, was commissioned captain of Co. D. from Fall River. Member of the common council, 1867; alderman 1878-9. Served as water commissioner, 1891-2-3. Member of Mount Hope lodge, Fall River royal arch chapter and council of Masons; of Fall River lodge of Odd Fellows; and is past commander of Richard Borden post 96 of G. A. R. Was candidate against Robert Howard of Fall River for Senate in 1886-7-89-90-1-2, but was unsuccessful. In 1888 received certificate of election over Howard, but latter successfully contested the seat on the ground of a misspelled ballot. Senator from the 2d Bristol district in 1894-5-6; chairman of committee on federal relations, and on committees on public charitable institutions and woman suffrage, 1894; chairman committee on harbors and public lands, and on committees on printing, and charitable institutions, 1895; chairman of committee on public charitable institutions; and on harbors and public lands, and public service, 1896; House chairman of committee on public charitable institutions, and on street railways, 1897.

James Whitehead, Republican, of Fall River, was born in Lancashire, England, Dec. 20, 1857. Received a common school education. Came to this country in 1880; by occupation a weaver. At present he is the secretary of the Weavers' Progressive association of Fall River; and secretary of Court Progress F. O. A. and also a P. C. R. On committee on labor in House of 1897.

Vote of district: E. Handy, Democrat, 576; Robert Howard, Independent Democrat, N. P. 987; Joseph O. Neill, Republican, 1540; James Whitehead, Republican, 1520.

District No. 10.—*Wards* 3, 4,5 *of Fall River*,—Thomas Donahue, Democrat, of Fall River, was born in Dublin, Ire., Aug. 20 1853; educated in the public schools. Has worked in cotton mills, iron mills and American Print Works of Fall River. Asst. assessor, 1887-8; 1892-3-4. Past chief ranger of Court "We'll Try" Ancient Order of Foresters. An old member and at one time president of the Young Irish American society of Fall River. Committee on woman suffrage in House of 1895; on liquor law, 1896.

Simon S. Sullivan, Democrat, of Fall River, was born in Shaw, Lancashire, Eng., Aug. 5, 1868; educated in public schools. Is a printer. Member of common council 1895-6. On committee on printing, 1897.

Vote of district; Thomas Donahue, Democrat, 1712; J. T. Hurley, Dem. Ind. N. P. 961; Wm. Mitchell, Republican, 1007: Simon S. Sullivan, Democrat, 1722; I. E. Willetts, Republican, 850.

District No. 11.—*Wards* 6, 7, 8, 9 *of Fall River, Somerset, Swansea.*—Hugo A. Dubuque, Republican, of Fall River, was born in Canada, Nov. 3, 1854; educated in the public schools and a Canadian college. Degree of L. L. B. of Boston University Law School '76-'77. Is a lawyer. Member of House in 1889, serving on judiciary committee. Past chancellor of Lafayette lodge of Knights of Pythias. Member of committee on the judiciary in House of 1897.

Alexander Lockhart, Republican, of Fall River, was born in the north of Ireland, Dec. 22, 1854; educated in the public schools. Overseer in a cotton mill for the past 23 years. Member of common council in 1880; in board of aldermen in 1891-2. On committee on taxation in House of 1897.

Charles E. Mills, Republican, of Fall River, was born there, Dec. 28, 1847; graduated from its High school in class of 1866. Insurance and real estate business. Mason and Red Men; board of aldermen; common council;

school committee. On committee on cities in House of 1895; clerk of committee on cities, and on federal relations, 1896; House chairman of committee on federal relations, and on insurance, 1897.

Vote of district: T. J. Boyce, Democrat, 1104; Hugo A. Dubuque, Republican, N. P., Democrat, 2504, Alexander Lockhart, Republican, 2926; G. E. Lynch, Democrat, 904; W. Miller, Prohibition, 555; Charles E. Mills, Republican, 3080.

DUKES COUNTY.

Chilmark, Cottage City, Edgartown, Gay Head, Gosnold, Tisbury, West Tisbury.—OTIS FOSS, Republican, of Cottage City, was born in Gouldsboro, Me., Oct. 4, 1838; educated in public schools. In U. S. navy; master mariner; in trade. Selectman, assessor, overseer of the poor. G. A. R., Masons, Odd Fellows. Committee on harbors and public lands, 1894; the same, and woman suffrage, 1895; House chairman of fisheries and game, and on federal relations, 1896; House chairman of committee on fisheries and game, and on ways and means, 1897.

Vote of district: Otis Foss. Republican 438; E. E. Landers, Democrat Independent N. P., 382; S. M. Mayhew, Prohibition, 40.

ESSEX COUNTY.

District No. 1.—Amesbury.—DANIEL W. DAVIS, Republican, was born in Shapleigh, Me., Oct. 3, 1846; educated in the public schools and New Hampton Academy, class of 1882. Enlisted in June, 1863, not assigned to any regiment; enlisted July, 1864 in Co. 1, 1st Maine cavalry; served in the Army of the Potomac; severely injured before Petersburg; mustered out Aug. 14, 1865. Member of E. P. Wallace post No. 122 G. A. R., chaplain. Is a shoemaker, teacher; member of school board, 1887 93. Postmaster at Amesbury, 1892-6. Member of Mt. Prospect lodge of Masons of Ashland, N. H.; Trinity chapter of Amesbury; of Mt. Pleasant lodge of Odd Fellows, of Dover, N. H., and of the Ancient Order of United Workmen. Clerk of committee on parishes and religious societies, in House of 1897.

Vote of district: H. S. Bean, Independent, 543; Daniel W. Davis, Republican, 946; J. L. Tibbets, Democrat Independent, 138.

District No. 2.—Merrimac, Ward 6 of Newburyport, Salisbury, West Salisbury.—NELSON P. CUMMINGS, Republican, Merrimac, born in Plaistow, N. H., April 27, 1847; public schools, Atkinson (N. H.) Academy. Insurance. Chairman of Republican town committee. Special county commissioner. Selectman, assessor and overseer of the poor, 1886; chairman of same 1887. Chairman of trustees of public library, 1887-92 3-4. Auditor; registrar of voters. Odd Fellows; American Legion of Honor; Ancient Order of United Workmen. Committee on banks and banking, in House of 1896; on committee on insurance, 1897.

Vote of district: Nelson P. Cummings, Republican, 812; J. F. Spalding, Prohibition, 529.

District No. 3—Wards 4, 6 of Haverhill.—SAMUEL WESLEY GEORGE, Republican, was born in Meredith, N. H., April 26, 1863. His father, a member of Co. I, 12th New Hampshire, having died in January, 1863, near Falmouth, Va., his mother moved to Concord, N. H, and thence to Northwood, N. H., where he was educated in public schools and seminary of the latter town. After serving two years in a grocery store and post-office, removed to Haverhill early in 1883, and has since been identified with its shoe industry. Member of common council in 1888-89 90, serving as its president the latter year. Clerk of committee on labor, 1894. House chairman of committee on public service and on com-

mittees on finance and expenditures, 1895; House chairman of committee on public service, and on ways and means, 1896, also member of the committee making arrangements for the state memorial service to the late Gov. Greenhalge, and a member of the special committee to investigate the official acts of the Norfolk county commissioners in connection with building the new court house at Dedham; House chairman of committee on libraries, and on ways and means, 1897.

Vote of district: Samuel W. George, Republican, 1219: R. P. Tapley, Democrat, 493.

District No. 4.—*Wards* 1, 2, 3 *of Haverhill.*—JACKSON WEBSTER, Republican, of Haverhill, was born in that city, March 14, 1849; educated in public schools and Atkinson and Pembroke (N. H.) academies. Retail grocer; now member of wholesale grocery firm of B. F. Leighton & Co. Alderman in 1888. Director of Haverhill co operative bank. Member of Merrimack lodge of Masons; past grand of Mutual Relief lodge of Odd Fellows; past commander of Fraternal council Junior Order of United American Mechanics; past commander of Haverhill commandery of Golden Cross; 32d degree Scottish Rite of Masons. Committee on cities in House of 1896, also on committee on memorial service of Governor Greenhalge; on committee on cities in 1897.

Vote of district: E. B. Sherman, Democrat, 475; Jackson Webster, Republican, 982.

District No. 5.—*Ward* 5 *of Haverhill.*—GEORGE H. BARTLETT, Republican, was born in Kingston, N. H., Sept. 6, 1857; public schools. Shoe manufacturer. Common council 1884-6. Masons. House of 1887, committee on drainage. Committee on water supply, 1897.

Vote of district: George H. Bartlett, Republican, 796; R. F. Kavanagh, Democrat, 537.

District No. 6.—*Wards* 1, 2 *of Lawrence, Methuen.*—GEORGE G. FREDERICK, Republican, of Methuen, was born in that town, Jan. 14, 1867; educated in the public schools, and Massachusetts College of Pharmacy, class of 1889. Druggist. Chairman of Republican town committee for four years; secretary of 5th congressional district committee four years. Odd Fellows, Knights of Pythias, Ancient Essenic Order. Clerk of committee on manufactures, 1897.

GEORGE B. SMART, Republican of Lawrence, was born in Berwick, Me., Feb. 25, 1835; educated in the public schools. In the coppersmith and plumbing business. Member of board of health for six years. Member of the common council for two years. Member of Knights of Honor. On committee on drainage in House of 1897.

Vote of district: J. W. Bridge, Prohibition, 66; George G. Frederick, Republican, 1884; J. C. Sanborn, Democrat, 1284; T. R. Skinner, Democrat, 1078; George B. Smart; Republican, 1810; W. Wood, Prohibition, 47.

District No. 7.—*Wards* 3, 4, 5, 6 *of Lawrence.*—BENJAMIN C. AMES, Republican, of Lawrence, born in Lowell, Dec. 20, 1859; public schools. Studied law in the office of D. C. and C. G. Saunders and the Hon. W. S. Knox; admitted to bar in 1882; lawyer. In 1890 1, member of common council. Justice of the peace, been commissioner of insolvency, and is master in chancery. Masons, Odd Fellows. Clerk of the committee on cities, 1897.

RICHARD CULLINANE, Democrat, of Lawrence, was born in Ireland, Feb. 2, 1859; removed to Lawrence, May 11, 1864; educated in public schools and Cannon's commercial college and Comer's commercial school. Is a carpenter. Was instructor in architectural and geometrical drawing in evening drawing school two years; instructor in architectural, isometric and geometrical drawing and

autographic projection in evening school for past three years, conducted under auspices of the Carpenters' Union. Prominent in labor matters for many years; member of Carpenters' Brotherhood; president of Union No. III six consecutive terms; instrumental in organizing Lawrence Central Labor Union in 1893; chairman of its building committee three consecutive terms; president of Central Labor Union in 1894-5-6-7; attended many conventions of American Federation of Labor. Member of Court Essex No. 90 Foresters of America; member ot Samoset colony of Pilgrim Fathers. On committee on labor in House of 1897.

CORNELIUS F. SULLIVAN, Democrat, of Lawrence, was born in that city, June 15, 1865; public schools. Tea merchant. Common council, 1891; overseer of poor, 1892. Treasurer of Essex colony of Pilgrim Fathers; Ancient Order of United Workmen. On committee on insurance, 1896; banks and banking, 1897.

Vote of district: Benjamin C. Ames, Republican, 2711; Richard Cullinane, Democrat, 2497; D. B. Daland, Prohibition, 119; T. T. Fairbairn, Prohibition, 191; J. T. Maloney, Republican, 2492; M. Manahan, Republican, 2405; T. C. Seed, Democrat, 2403; Cornelius F. Sullivan, Democrat, 2574.

District No. 8.—Andover, Middleton, North Andover.—WILLIAM ODLIN, Republican, of Andover, was born in Laconia, N. H., April 5, 1865; educated in the public schools, Phillips Andover Academy, 1886, and Dartmouth College 1890. Is a lawyer. Serving his second term as member of Andover school committee. Member of St. Matthew's lodge of Masons. Treasurer of Dartmouth Alumni benefit association. Chairman of Andover Republican town committee in 1893 4. Clerk of committee on mercantile affairs, in House of 1897.

Vote of district: William Odlin, Republican, 1223; C. N. L. Stone, Prohibition, 157.

District No. 9.—Boxford, Bradford, Georgetown, Groveland.—EDWARD H. HOYT, Republican, of Bradford, was born in Haverhill, July 11, 1849; educated at Phillips Exeter and Andover academies. Has been in leather business and electric railways, but has now retired. Member of Union lodge of Masons, of St. Paul's chapter, of Boston council, and of Boston commandery of Knights Templar, of Massachusetts consistory; past T. P. G. M. of Merrimack Valley Lodge of Perfection, exalted ruler of Haverhill lodge of Elks; and past chancellor of Ingomar lodge of Knights of Pythias. On committee on street railways in House of 1897.

Vote of district; Edward H. Hoyt, Republican, 1230; E. L. Kimball, Democrat, 480.

District No. 10.—Danvers, Peabody, Topsfield—NICOLAS M. QUINT, Republican, was born in Eaton, N. H., July 18, 1838; educated in its common schools and Fryeburg Academy, of Fryeburg, Me. Removed to Peabody in 1858, and became a farmer. Enlisted inCo. C. 5th regiment, July 21, 1862; mustered out July 2, 1863. Since 1864 been a contractor and dealer in real estate. An assessor, 1885-86-87; water commissioner, 1886; superintendent of water works. 1888-94. Chairman of park commission, 1895. Member of Jordan lodge of Masons, Holton lodge of Odd Fellows, and Masconomo tribe of Red Men. Commander of Union post G. A. R. Director of Peabody co-operative bank and chairman of its security committee since its organization. Member of Peabody board of trade. On committee on water supply, in House of 1894; House chairman of same committee, 1895; House chairman of same committee, and on liquor law, 1896; House chairman of water supply, and on roads and bridges, 1897.

J. W. WOODMAN, of Danvers, (port) Republican, was born in Danvers, Jan. 25, 1847; educated in the public schools. Manufacturer of wood and paper boxes. Selectman, 1888-9; trustee of Peabody Institute since 1886. Member of Masonic lodge of Masons and its marshal; member of Danvers lodge of Odd Fellows and

is its past noble grand. Clerk of committee on libraries, 1896; committee on libraries, and prisons, 1897.

Vote of district: N. A. Bushby, Democrat, 1093; M. C. Pettingill, Democrat, 1006; Nicolas M. Quint, Republican, 2108; Joseph W. Woodman, Republican, 1860.

District No. 11.—*Wards* 3 *of Lynn, Swampscott.*—AARON R. BUNTING, Republican, of Swampscott, born in Wellfleet, Aug. 26, 1833; public schools of Boston. Mason and builder. Board of selectmen, registrars, Republican town committee. Odd Fellows. Committee on towns, 1896; water supply, 1897.

E. KNOWLTON FOGG, of Lynn, Republican, was born in Northwood, N. H., Oct. 24, 1837; educated in the public schools and in New Hampton, N. H. academy. Came to Massachusetts in Jan. 1858. A shoe and leather worker in Lynn until the great fire of 1882, and is now in the leather business. Member of the common council in 1888, and of the board of aldermen in 1888-90, being president of same in 1890; mayor of Lynn, 1891. Member of Masons for 25 years. Charter member of East Lynn lodge of Odd Fellows and now treasurer of same. Director and vice president of East Lynn Odd Fellows. On committee on metropolitan affairs, 1896; committee on metropolitan affairs, 1897.

Vote of district: Aaron R. Bunting, Republican, 2063; J. H. Finn, Socialist Labor, 234; E. Knowlton Fogg, Republican, 1831; G. N. Goodridge, Prohibition, 109; W. E. Ivreson, Prohibition, 98; J. R. Morse, Democrat, 634; M. E. Nies, Democrat, 585; C. Sahm Socialist Labor, 71.

District No. 12.—*Wards* 1, 5, 7 *of Lynn, Lynnfield.*—CHARLES O. BEEDE, Republican, of Lynn, born in Lynn, Dec. 29, 1840; educated in public schools and New Hampton (N. H.)Institute, class of 1857. Shoe manufacturer, dealer in leather supplies, rubber business in Boston; real estate. Alderman in 1881-2. In 1896 chosen on the water board for five years. Is a director of the Manufacturers' national bank, a trustee of the Lynn safe deposit and trust company, also of the Lynn Five Cent savings bank; a director and vice president of the Massachusetts Temperance Home. Member of Lynn board of trade. Member of Mount Carmel lodge, Sutton royal arch chapter, and Olivet commandery Knights Templar of Masons. Committees on roads and bridges, and parishes and religious societies, 1897.

WILLIAM H. SEVERANCE, Republican, of Lynn, was born in Bangor, Me., Jan. 12, 1858; educated in the public schools. Was in the provision business for a number of years, but is now in the express business in Lynn. Member of the common council in 1893-4. Member of Glenmere lodge of Odd Fellows, of Peter Woodland lodge of Knights of Pythias, and of Winepurket tribe of Red Men Director of Lynn co-operative Bank. On committee on drainage in House of 1897.

Vote of district: Charles O. Beede, Republican, 1879; J. M. Harriman, Democrat, 799; F. Newhall, Democrat, 750: J. Reardon, Socialist Labor, 94; William H. Severance, Republican, 1559; C. N. Wentworth, Socialist Labor, 106.

District No. 13.—*Ward* 24, *of Lynn, Nahant.*—HENRY C. ATTWILL, of Lynn, Republican, was born in that city March 11, 1872; educated in the public schools and Boston University Law School class of 1893. Is a lawyer. Member of committee on probate and insolvency, and clerk of committee on elections (House,) 1896; clerk of House and joint judiciary, 1897.

JOSEPH G. BROWN, of Lynn, Republican, born in Pembroke, June 19, 1825; educated in Friends' Boarding School, Providence, R. I. Shoe manufacturing. Committee on printing, 1896; House chairman of same, and liquor law, 1897.

Vote of district: Henry C. Attwill, Republican, 1754; E. F. Averell, Prohibition, 98; G. A. Brown, Socialist Labor, 102; Joseph G. Brown, Republican, 1666; W. P. Conway, Democrat, 838; J. K. Pethybridge, Socialist Labor, 81; L. R. Pierce, Democrat, 784; D. Trueworthy. Prohibition, 98.

District No. 14.—*Ward* 6, *of Lynn, Saugus.*—OTTHO W. LEWIS, Republican of (East) Saugus was born in Franklin, N. H., July 17, 1853; educated in the schools of Manchester, N. H., and of Pinkerton Academy, Derry, N. H. Is a book and commercial printer. Member of William Sutton lodge of Masons of Saugus; past grand of Richard W. Drown lodge of Odd Fellows of Lynn. Member of House from 20th Essex district in 1894, serving on committee on printing. On committee on prisons in House of 1897.

HOWARD K. SANDERSON, Republican of Lynn, was born in Williamsburg, July 10, 1865; educated in Lynn public schools Superintendent of carriers, Lynn post office, 1890 91; assistant postmaster, 1892. Republican city committee, 1893-4-5-6, secretary, 1895. Republican state committee, 1897. Mason, Knight Templar; Odd Fellow; secretary of Old Essex chapter of Sons of the American Revolution. Clerk of committee on election laws, and on special committee on redistricting, 1896, House chairman of committee on election laws, and clerk of ways and means, 1897.

Vote of district: M. F. Cunningham, People's Party, Democrat, 1138; A. Gilmore, Democrat, 935; J. L. Lewis, Socialist Labor, 102; Ottho W. Lewis, Republican, 1734; D McDonald, Socialist Labor, 79; Howard K. Sanderson, Republican, 1846; S. Snow, Prohibition, 56; W. L. V. Blarcom, Prohibition, 59.

District No 15.—*Marblehead*—P. HOWARD SHIRLEY, of Marblehead, Republican, was born in that town. Aug. 15, 1857; educated in the public schools. Is in dry goods business. Master of Philanthropic lodge of Masons, of Washington royal arch chapter, and Salem council of Royal Arch and Select Masters. Past president of "Now and Then Association" of Salem. A member of the Harrison club, a political organization formed in 1889, composed of the younger element of the Republican party. Committee on insurance, 1896; on committees on counties, and roads and bridges, 1897.

Vote of district: W. Bridges, Democrat, Populist, 788; P. Howard Shirley, Republican, 865.

District No. 16—*Wards* 1, 2, *of Salem.*—WILLIAM D. CHAPPLE, Republican, was born in that city Aug. 6, 1868; educated in the public schools and Boston University Law School, class of 1890. Admitted to the bar in the same year and has practiced in Salem ever since. Member of Salem common council 1894-5-6, being president of the board in the last year. Member of Starr King lodge of Masons; Sutton Lodge of Perfection; past grand of Fraternity lodge of Odd Fellows. On Republican city committee for the last five years; Young Men's Republican Club of Salem. Member of committee on probate and insolvency, House of 1897; on special committee on the impeachment of Melville P. Morrell.

Vote of district: William D. Chapple, Republican, 1158; Miles J. Daley, Democrat, 486.

District No. 17.—*Wards* 3. 5 *of Salem.*—TRISTRAM T. SAVORY of Salem, Republican: born in that city, Sept. 19, 1834; public schools. Express business. Common council, 1877-8.

Vote of district. J. F. Donovan, Democrat, 436; Tristram T. Savory, Republican, 1248.

District No. 18.—*Wards* 4, 6 *of Salem.*—CHARLES E. TROW, Republican, born in Hamilton. April 18, 1833; educated in the public schools in that town, and at Thetford Academy. He became a teacher but later was engaged in mercantile pursuits, which he left to enter the field of journalism. Member of the

Lawrence Daily American staff when Major George S. Merrill was editor and proprietor of that paper. Subsequently he purchased the Methuen Transcript, of which paper he was editor and owner for 10 years. His connection with the newspaper press in Salem is well known, and covers a period of 11 years. He was editor of the Evening Telegram for some time and has since been identified with other local publications. When connected with the Boston Traveler some years ago he wrote a series of interesting articles entitled "Salem Shipmasters," which were continued for a year or more and were widely read. Served in the late war, enlisting in Co. G, 42d regiment, Mass. Volunteers, which was subsequently known as the "7th unattached company" in which organization he was a non-commissioned officer. Veteran member of the Boston Fusileers. Past chaplain of Phil H. Sheridan post 34, G. A. R.; past commander of Col. William B. Greene post, G. A. R., of Methuen; past regent of Salem council Royal Arcanum, and has been a member of the Masonic order for over 25 years. He has performed efficient work for the Republican party, both as a writer and speaker in the advocacy of its principles. On committee on education, 1897.

Vote of district: J. B. Saunders, Democrat, 691; Charles E. Trow, Republican, 992.

District No. 19.—*Beverly, Essex, Ward* 8 *of Gloucester, Hamilton, Manchester, Wenham.*—SAMUEL COLE, Republican, of Beverly was born, Dec. 15, 1856, in Rutland, Vt. Educated in the public schools. Is a market gardener. Member of the school committee eleven years, 1882-94; two years. 1895-6, president of the common council. Member of board of directors of the savings and co operative banks, of board of trade. Treasurer of Liberty lodge of Masons; member of Amity chapter and St. George commandery. Member of Bass River lodge of Odd Fellows, of Roger Conant council of Royal Arcanum, and of the United Order of American Mechanics. On committee on cities in House of 1897.

JOSEPH W. STOCKER, Republican of Beverly, born in Boston, May, 1824; commen schools. Mariner; enlisted Aug. 11, 1862, Co. K. 40th infantry. Discharged July, 1865. Past commander of post 89, G. A. R. Shoe cutter; inspector of customs in Beverly and Salem. Committee on harbors and public lands, in House of 1895 · House chairman of same committee, and on parishes and religious societies, 1896; chairman of harbors and public lands, 1897.

Vote of district: Samuel Cole, Republican, 1920; F. A. Foster, Democrat, 485; S. Lovett, Prohibition, 121; J. F. Rabardy, Prohibition, 200; Joseph W. Stocker: Republican, 2149; W. Stopford, Democrat, 426.

District No. 20—*Wards* 1, 3, 4, 5, 6 *of Gloucester.*—CHARLES D. BROWN, Republican, of Gloucester was born in Newburyport, June 5, 1862; educated in its public schools. Clerk in store of bookseller and stationer in Newburyport three years, then for 10 years in the same business in Boston, and for last seven years in same business for himself in Gloucester. Member of Acacia lodge of Masons and its secretary in 1894: Knights Templar. Past noble grand of Ocean lodge of Odd Fellows; A. O. U. W. Member of common council, 1893, and its president in 1894. Member of Republican city committtee, 1891-7, inclusive, chairman 1897. Trustee of Odd Fellows building association. Member of Republican club of Massachusetts since it was founded; Republican state committee, 1897. Alternate to Republican convention, 1896. Committee on printing, 1895; clerk of committee on mercantile affairs; and on special committee on redistricting, 1896; House chairman of committee on taxation, and on water supply, 1897.

HARVEY C. SMITH, Republican, of Gloucester, was born in Rockport, Nov. 20, 1847; educated in the public schools and Bryant & Stratton's Commercial College of Boston. Master of vessel, 1870-71; wholesale fish dealer since 1872.

Member of the common council 1889 90; board of aldermen in 1892. Member of the Repnblican city committee 1889-1897; chairman of same in 1896. Past noble grand of Ocean lodge of Odd Fellows, Past chief patriarch of Cape Ann encampment; charter member of Wingaersheek tribe of Red Men; member of the Society of Colonial Wars and of the Sons of the American Revolution. On committee on fisheries and game in House of 1897.

Vote of district: Charles D. Brown, Republican, 1386; L. B. Haskell, Democrat, 496; A. A. Holland, People's Party, 65; W. F. Morse, Democrat, 510; Harvey C. Smith, Republican, 1364.

District No.21.—Wards 2, 7 of Gloucester, Rockport.—GEORGE M. MCLAIN Republican, of Rockport, was born in Bremen, Me., March 9, 1842; educated in the common schools. Has been a master mariner and designer of vessels. Is a member of Ashler lodge of Masons, and of Winnisquam tribe of Red Men. Member of committee on fisheries and game in House of 1896; committee on fisheries and game, 1897.

Vote of district: George M. McClain, Republican, 1038; all others, 6.

District No. 22.—Ipswich, Wards 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 of Newburyport, Newbury, Rowley.—CHARLES O. BAILEY, of Newbury, Republican, was born in that town, Jan. 24, 1963; educated in Putnam Free School of Newburyport and Bryant & Stratton's commercial college of Boston. In the grocery business. Selectman for 1892-3-4 5; member of school committee 1888-97, inclusive. Member of Charles C. Dame lodge of Masons of Georgetown. Member of Junior Order American Mechanics, March 30, 1896; elected an alternate delegate from the 6th, congressional district to the Republican national convention at St. Louis. Clerk of committee on public service, 1896; also clerk of special committee on redistricting the state; on committee on public charitable institutions, 1807.

CHARLES P. MILLS, Republican, of Newburyport, was born Aug. 22, 1853, in Yellow Springs, Ohio, son of Judge William and Ann Eliza Marshall Mills; educated in public schools of birthplace, at Lookout Mountain Educational Institution on the top of Lookout Mountain, Tenn.; and at Amherst College, where he graduated in 1874. Taught school in McCallom Academy, Mount Vernon, N. H., 1874-6. Graduated from Andover Theological Seminary in 1879, where an extra year was spent in private work with Professor Edward A. Park. Ordained to the gospel ministry and installed as pastor of the North Congregational church in Newburyport, Sept. 23, 1880, where he continues in active service. This is his first political office. On committee on fisheries and game, House of 1897.

Vote of district: Charles O. Bailey, Republican, 1494; J. H. Carver, Democrat, 606; G. H. W. Hayes, Democrat, 321; M. Kimball, Republican, 1357; E. F. McLean, Prohibition, 49; Charles P. Mills, Republican Independent, N. P., 1633; J. C. Underhill, Prohibition, 52.

FRANKLIN COUNTY.

District No. 1.—Ashfield, Buckland, Charlemont, Colrain, Conway, Hawley, Heath, Monroe, Rowe, Shelburne.—JOHN B. PACKARD, Republican. Conway, born there, Feb. 22, 1837; public schools. Farmer. President of Conway savings bank; director in Conway national bank; president of Conway creamery company; been selectman, assessor and overseer of poor. President of Franklin county harvest club. Member of House, 1889, committee on taxation; election laws, 1896; agriculture, 1897.

Vote of district: John B. Packard, Republican, 1402; all others, 0.

District No. 2.—Bernardston, Gill, Greenfield, Leyden.—HERBERT COLLINS PARSONS, Republican, of Greenfield was born in Northfield, Jan. 15, 1862; educated in public schools and private high school. His father, A. C. Parsons, of Northfield was member of the House in 1861 and of Senate in 1865. In boy-

hood in a "country store." Became associate editor of the Greenfield Gazette and Courier on Jan. 1, 1889, and has since filled that position. On Northfield school committee 1886-9, chairman the last year. Now a member of the Greenfield school committee. Has served as chairman of various political committees of the Republican party. Member of Republican lodge of Masons. In House of 1896, member of committees on constitutional amendments, and railroads; chairman of former, and member of latter, 1897.

Vote of district: Herbert C. Parsons, Republican, 1053; A. F. Wells, Prohibition, 81; G. H. Wright, Democrat Citizens N. P., 443.

District No. 3.—Deerfield, Leverett, Montague, Sunderland, Wendell, Whately.—BENJAMIN W. MAYO, Republican, of Montague, Turners Falls, was born in (North) Orange, April 17, 1836; educated in the district school and at academies; taught school in winters. In 1857 entered local store and postoffice remaining there until enlistment Oct. 3, 1861, in Co. I, 25th regiment, serving with it in 9th and 18th army corps until term of three years expired, and then remained with the army until the close of war in June, 1865. In a store and postoffice in Templeton until 1871, when established store and postoffice in Turners Falls, remaining there as postmaster until 1895, being a presidential appointee from 1874 Past commander post 162, G. A. R. and has held nearly of its offices. Member of Turners Falls board of trade from its organization. Committees on federal relations, and military affairs in House of 1896; committees on military affairs, and State House, 1897.

Vote of district: L. W. Clark, Democrat, 705; Benjamin W. Mayo. Republican, 1015.

District No. 4.—Erving, New Salem, Northfield, Orange, Shutesbury, Warwick.—EDWARD H. HARDING, Republican, of Orange, was born in Lawrence, April 17, 1854; educated in the district school. Is a mechanic. Member of the Orange board of trade. Member of Orange lodge of Masons; past grand of Social lodge of Odd Fellows, and past chief patriarch of Fall Hill encampment; also, past commandant of Canton Orange of Patriarchs Militant. Member of Wantastiquet lodge of A. O. U W. Committee on labor, and on special redistricting committee in House of 1896; committee on manufactures, 1897.

Vote of district: Edward H. Harding, Republican, 1359; H. G. Stockwell, Democrat, 329.

HAMPDEN COUNTY.

District No 1.—Brimfield, Holland, Monson, Palmer, Wales.—THOMAS W. KENEFICK. Democrat, of Palmer, was born in Leominster, Sept. 17, 1855; educated in public schools and Harvard College, 1877. Studied law in Harvard law school and in office of Hon. Charles R. Train of Boston. Admitted to bar in 1879; practiced in Palmer since then. Clerk of committee on probate and insolvency, and on committee on railroads, in House of 1896; also on special committee to investigate the building of the Norfolk county court house; in 1897, clerk of committee on rules, and on ways and means.

Vote of district; H. P. Holden, Republican, 886; Thomas W. Kenefick, Democrat, 1056.

District No. 2.—Agawam, East Longmeadow, Granville, Hampden, Longmeadow, Ludlow, Southwick, Tolland, Wilbraham.—WILLIAM H. PORTER, Republican, of Agawam, was born in Hatfield, May 8, 1856; educated in the public schools, and Massachusetts Agricultural College, class of 1876. Is an agriculturist. Clerk of committee on agriculture in the House of 1897.

Vote of district: C. P. Davis, Democrat, 523; William H. Porter, Republican, 1100.

District No. 3.—*Wards* 1, 2, 8, *Springfield*.—GEORGE F. FULLER, Republican, Springfield, born in East Medway, March 8, 1842; public schools. Enlisted Aug. 25, 1862, in 11th Mass. Battery of Light Artillery. Grain and elevator business in Chicago until 1874, and since in wholesale grain business in Springfield. Common council, 1894; aldermen, 1895; E. K. Wilcox post G. A. R., Springfield; trustee of Winthrop club. Sons of the American Revolution. Committee on roads and bridges, in House of 1896; House chairman of committee on roads and bridges, and on federal relations, 1897.

WILLMORE B. STONE, Democrat, was born in East Longmeadow, June 24, 1853; educated in the public schools, and in Harvard College under private tutors. Is an attorney-at-law. Member of the leading social clubs of Springfield; associate member of the G. A. R. Member of the House in 1896, on committee on judiciary; and on committees on rules, 1897.

Vote of district: George F. Fuller, Republican, 1920; W. J. McCan, Democrat, 1181; Willmore B. Stone, Democrat, 1717; C. L Young, Republican, 1595

District No. 4.—*Wards* 3, 4, 5 *of Springfield*.—HENRY H. BOSWORTH, Republican, was born in that city, March 16, 1868; educated in its public schools and in Amherst College, class of 1889. Studied law in Springfield and is a practicing lawyer. Clerk of committee on taxation, 1897.

ALBERT T. FOLSOM, Republican, was born in Freeport, Me., Nov. 9, 1831; edncated in the public and private schools. City clerk and treasurer of Springfield from 1862 to 1887; bank director 20 years; president of Second national bank seven years; treasurer and trustee of the Union relief association 18 years; treasurer and director of the Improved Dwellings association 10 years; trustee of the Winthrop club; public administrator. On committee on cities of the House of 1897.

Vote of district: Henry H. Bosworth, Republican, 2270; Albert T. Folsom, Republican, 2213; J. L. Rice, Democrat, 964; A. C. Sinclair, Democrat, 1076.

District No. 5.—*Wards* 6, 7 *of Springfield*.—CHARLES E. HOAG, Republican, was born in Moultonborough, N. H., Sept. 18, 1849; educated in the public schools and academy and normal school. Is a student and lawyer; author of several books; editor of newspaper for eight years. Trustee of Peabody Institute for six years. Member of Hampden lodge of Masons; of Hampden lodge of Odd Fellows; of Essex historical society; of Essex agricultural society; director of Springfield board of trade; member of John G. Holland senate of Ancient Essenic order; of American Mechanics; chairman of Connecticut river improvement committee. On committee on harbors and public lands in House of 1897.

Vote of district: Charles E. Hoag, Republican, 1020; F. R. Richmond, Democrat, 913.

District No. 6.—*Wards* 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 *of Chicopee*.—HENRY J. BOYD, Republican, of Chicopee (Falls) was born in West Springfield, May 9, 1831; educated in the public schools, Sheldon academy and Westfield state normal school class of 1852-3 4. Taught school for 12 years, was then a merchant 15 years, and for 14 years has been treasurer of the Chicopee Falls saving bank. School committee for 10 years. Member of Belcher lodge of Masons. Committee on banks and banking, 1896; House chairman of same committee, 1897.

Vote of district: Henry J. Boyd, Republican, 1001; M. J. Ryan, Democrat, 816.

District No. 7.—*Ward* 7 *of Chicopee, Wards* 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 *of Holyoke*,—THOMAS J. DOOLING, of Holyoke, was born in that city, Jan. 28, 1868; educated in the public schools. Is a "beamer." Member of the fire department and of several local clubs. On committee on fisheries and game, House of 1897.

JOHN F. SHEEHAN, Democrat, of Holyoke, was born in that city, Sept. 2, 1864. Prominent in social and literarv clubs. Law student. Committee on cities and on woman suffrage , 1895. Committee on cities, 1896; on same committee, 1897.

Vote of district: Thomas J. Dooling, Democrat, 1583; W. A. Matthes, Republican, 1444; John F. Sheehan, Democrat, 1723; H. A. Suessenguth, Republican, 1156.

District No. 8.—Wards 6, 7 of Holyoke.—PATRICK J. KENNEDY, Republican, of Holyoke, was born in Ireland, March 20, 1862; educated in St. Patrick's College of Dublin, Ire. Is proprietor and editor of the Holyoke Democrat. Committee on railroads, 1896; clerk of committee on street railways, 1897.

Vote of district: J. F. Dickey, Democrat, 777; Patrick J. Kennedy, Republican, 962.

District No 9.—Blandford, Chester, Montgomery, Russell, Westfield, West Springfield. ANDREW CAMPBELL, Republican, of Westfield, was born in New York, May 3, 1826; educated in the public schools. Enlisted Aug. 29, 1862, in Co. C. 46th regiment Mass. Volunteers, served at Newbern, N. C., promoted to captain, mustered out July 29, 1863. Member of G. A. R. post 41 of Westfield and commander of same. Special county commissioner 1872. United States store-keeper 1872-3-4. Is a painter. Member of Mount Moriah lodge of Masons. Committee on military affairs, House of 1897.

FRANK P. SARGENT, Republican, of West Springfield, was born in Dorchester (Boston) Nov. 4, 1854; public schools. Telegraph operator. School board 1894-6; Republican town committee since 1881, chairman since 1888. Committee on labor, 1897.

Vote of district: S. A. Allen, Democrat, 1227; Andrew Campbell, Republican, 1516; F. S. Dewey, Jr., Democrat, 1295; A. S. Kneil, Citizens' N. P. 738; J. A. Lakin, Citizens' N. P. 401; Frank P. Sargent, Republican, 1701.

HAMPSHIRE COUNTY.

District No. 1.—Goshen, Hadley, Hatfield, Northampton, Westhampton, Williamsburg.—ALBERT E. ADDIS, Republican of Northampton, born in England, May 4, 1864; Phillips Academy of Andover, 1890. Lawyer. City solicitor, 1894-5. House of 1896, clerk of judiciary committee, and on bills in third reading; House chairman of committee on elections, and on judiciary, 1897.

CHARLES S. SHATTUCK, Republican of Hatfield, born in Sheldon, Vt., June 5, 1840; public schools; enlisted, July 16, 1862, in Co. K, 6th Vermont; promoted to sergeant and 1st lieut.; captain and brevet major; mustered out July 8, 1865; Baker post 86 G. A. R. Mercantile business until 1873; manufacturer of fire-arms. On staff of Gen. W. G. Veasey, national commander of G. A. R; 1890; alternate delegate to national Republican convention, 1892. Committee of public charitable institutions, 1896; on same, 1897.

Vote of district: Albert E. Addis, Republican, 1865; G. H. Ames, Prohibition, 626; W. I. Edwards, Prohibition, 241; Charles S. Shattuck, Republican, 1843.

District No. 2.—Chesterfield, Cummington, Easthampton, Huntington, Middlefield, Plainfield, Southampton, Worthington.—CLEMENT F. BURR, Republican, of Worthington, born there, Feb. 22, 1849; public schools. Wilbraham academy. Farmer. Town treasurer and clerk past 10 years. Committee on agriculture, House of 1897.

Vote of district: Clement F. Burr, Republican, 1297; C. O. Lyon, Prohibition, 189.

District No. 3.—Amherst, Granby, South Hadley, Pelham.—GEORGE E. FISHER, of Amherst, Republican, was born in Harvard, Jan. 22, 1823; educated in Lawrence academy, Groton, and Amherst college, class of 1846. Is a clergyman, graduating from Andover Theological Seminary in 1849. Ordained at Rutland, Feb. 27, 1850, only one of the ordaining council now living. He remained at Rutland three years, and his other pastorates have been: North Amherst, six years; Greenville, N. H., three; Ashburnham, five; South Hadley Falls, twelve; East Amherst, six; and Leverett, about eleven years. In politics, originally a Whig, he joined the Free Soil party in 1848; and the Republican party when it was organized in 1856 and has ever since remained in it. In 1867 he represented Ashburnham and Winchendon in the House, serving on the committees on bills in the third reading. Member of the Connecticut Valley Congregational club, of the Hampshire East association, of the Hampshire East conference; past master of Pacific lodge of Masons of Amherst and of Mt. Holyoke lodge of South Hadley Falls; member of the executive committee of the general association of alumni of Amherst College. On committees on education, parishes and religious societies in the House of 1897.

Vote of district: Thomas Charmbury, Prohibition, 63; George E. Fisher, Republican, 1112; M. N. Spear, Democrat, 267.

District No. 4.—Belchertown, Enfield, Greenwich, Prescott, Ware.—JOSEPH M. HARRINGTON, Republican, Prescott; born in New Salem, July 26, 1828: public schools, New Salem and Monson academies. Teacher, boot treeer, lumbering and farming business. Justice of the peace since 1856; selectman, assessor and overseer of the poor, school committee; town auditor, 1894-7. Committee on agriculture, 1897.

Vote of district: Joseph M. Prescott, Republican, 1086; James Neville, Democrat, 540.

MIDDLESEX COUNTY.

District No. 1.—Ward 1 of Cambridge.—JAMES J. MYERS, Republican, was born near Frewsburg, N. Y., where his grandparents on both sides were among the pioneer settlers. On his father's side they were the old Mohawk Dutch stock of Myers and Van Valkenburgh; and on his mother's, the New England stock of Tracy and Stevens. He still owns the farm where he was born, and it has been in the famity ever since it was bought by his grandfather of the Holland Land Company early in the century. While fitting for college, engaged more or less in the lumbering business for several years on the Alleghany and Ohio Rivers. Graduated at Harvard, 1869; at Harvard Law School, 1872. While in law school, taught mathematics one year in Harvard College. Spent one year in Europe and one year in a law office in New York city before beginning practice in Boston. In the fall of 1874, with J. B. Warner of Cambridge formed the partnership of Myers & Warner, and has ever since been engaged in the practice of the law in Boston, residing in Cambridge. President for one year of the Library Hall association of Cambridge. For two years president of the Colonial club of Cambridge; member of the University club, the Middlesex club, the Union club, and the St. Botolph club of Boston; of the Massachusetts Republican club, of the Massachusetts reform club; of the Merchants' club, the Massachusetts club, of the Cambridge club; for several years treasurer of the Cambridge branch of the Indian Rights association, and for some years a member of the executive committee of the Cambridge civil service reform association; also a member of the University club and the Zeta Psi club of New York City. Member of committees on probate and insolvency, elections and rules, and on recess committee on revision of corporation laws, in House of 1893; House chairman of special committee on revision of corporation laws, rules, and judiciary, 1894; House chair-

man of committee on judiciary, and on rules, 1895; House chairman of committee on judiciary, and on rules, 1896; same positions in House of 1897.

Vote of district: James J. Myers, Republican, 1448; J. F. Kiley, Democrat, 497.

District No. 2.—*Ward* 2 *of Cambridge.*—WILLIAM R. DAVIS, Republican, was born in West Appleton, Me., March 8, 1862; educated in the public schools. Is in the cooperage department of the J. P. Squire corporation. Member of common council, 1894 5-6. Member of Commercial lodge of Odd Fellows, Boston, of Cambridge lodge of N. E. O. P., and of J. C. Wellington camp of Sons of Vetterans. Member of Republican city committe, 1894-5-6-7; chairman of Ward 2 Republican committee, 1896-7. On committees on libraries, and liquor law in House of 1897.

JEREMIAH F. DONOVAN, Democrat, born in Boston, May 10, 1856; public schools. Iron molder; boot and shoe salesman. Democratic city committee eight years, secretary three. Knights of Columbus, A. O. H., Phoenix club. House of 1896, committee on roads and bridges; same, 1897.

Vote of district: C. M. Conant, Independent N. P. 526; William R. Davis, Republican, 1524; Jeremiah F. Donovan, Democrat, 1529; J. A. Montgomery, Democrat, 1259; C. H. Titus, Republican, 1492.

District No. 3.—*Ward* 3, *of Cambridge.*—JOHN H. PONCE, Democrat, of Cambridge was born in (East) Cambridge, Nov. 1, 1857; educated in public schools, Holy Cross College, Harvard and Boston University law schools; was reporter on Cambridge weeklies and Boston dailies; admitted to the bar in 1881, and has practiced law in Boston and Cambridge since. Secretary and attorney of Cambridge co-operative bank since 1882. Served in common council in 1892, and in alderman in 1893-4; as alderman had largest number of committees and chairmanships; on committee on finance three years, being first-named of committee while alderman; as councilman, introduced the order which led to present park system of the city, receiving from chairman of park commission the gold pen used by the mayor in signing the orders for taking of lands for parks. Associate member of post 57, G. A. R.; member of First Volunteers citizens' association, Charitable Irish Society, Father Mathew Total Abstinence Society, St. John's Literary Institute, Division 15 A. O. H., Lechmere council of Royal Arcanum; president of Columbus association; president of Lechmere cycle club; Grand Knights of St. John's Council, No. 193, Knights of Columbus; member of finance committee of citizens' committee on celebration of 50th anniversary of incorporation of city. Clerk of committee on public charitable institutions; also on special committee of Legislature to attend the dedication of the monument to John Boyle O'Reilly in Back Bay Fens, June 20, 1896; on committee on railroads, 1897.

Vote of district: P. F. Bleiler, Republican. 547; John H. Ponce, Democrat, 1018.

District No. 4.—*Ward* 4, *of Cambridge*—JAMES W. COLEMAN, Republican, was born in that city March 17, 1855; educated in the public schools. Is junior member of the firm of Coleman Brothers, wholesale dealers in coal and wood since 1880, but was a wholesale confectioner from 1876 to 1880. Past grand of Friendship lodge. and P. C. P. of Charles River encampment of Odd Fellows; P. P. of Victory lodge, Sons of St. George. Charter member of Citizens' trade association; charter member of Cambridge building association. Associate member of John A. Logan post 186, G. A. R. Member of common council, 1892, committee on accounts. On committee on counties, 1896; chairman of same committee, 1897.

GEORGE S. EVANS, Republican, of Cambridge, was born in Cardigan, Wales, Sept. 12, 1841; educated in pnblic schools, coming to this country in

1850. Has been printer, railway postal clerk, chief clerk of the railway mail service, chief post office inspector of the New England states, and insurance agent; appointed N.E. post office inspector in Boston again in spring of 1897. Enlisted Jan. 18, 1864, for three years in Co. I, 56th Mass. veteran volunteer regiment and was discharged July 12, 1865, at the close of the war. Was promoted to corporal and sergeant; was in the Ninth Army Corps, Army of the Potomac, and in the battles of The Wilderness, Spottsylvania, North Anna, Cold Harbor, Petersburg, Battle of the Crater, Weldon Railroad, Hatcher's Run, Poplar Spring Church, and other minor engagements. Was in charge of Ninth Army Corps printing office on the field in front of Petersburg, Va., during the winter of 1864-65. Is past commander of Wm. H. Smart post No. 30 G. A. R. of Cambridgeport, past commander of Department of Masschusetts and past inspector general G. A. R. Secretary of the Soldiers' Home in Massachusetts for the last 10 years. Committee on military affairs, 1896; on same committee, 1897; also on special committee on impeachment of Norfolk County Commissioner Morreli, whose duties were expected to be arduous but which came to naught as the supreme court decided such impeachment would be unconstitutional.

Vote of district: E. J. Browne, Democrat, 585; James W. Coleman, Republican, 1713; George S. Evans, Republican, 1702; J. H. Wells, Democrat, 610.

District No. 5.—Ward 5, of Cambridge.—DAVID T. DICKINSON, Republican of Cambridge, was born in that city, Aug. 23, 1867; Harvard college, class of 1888, and Harvard Law School, class of 1891. Member of Suffolk bar and is practicing law in Boston. Committee on railroads in House of 1895. Chairman of committee on manufactures, and on special redistricting committee, 1896; chairman of committee on bills in 3d reading, and on election laws, 1897.

Vote of district: David T. Dickinson, Republican, 997; G. E. McNeill, Democrat Bryan N. P., 374.

District No. 6.—Ward 1 of Somerville.—HORACE C. WHITE, Republican, was born in Bowdoin, Me., Jan. 26, 1836; educated in Litchfield Liberal Institute and the medical department of Bowdoin College in the class of 1859. Enlisted March 13, 1862, as assistant surgeon of the 8th Maine regiment and served in the Department of the South; mustered out in June, 1863. Member of Willard C. Kinsley post 139 G. A. R.; also of Loyal Legion. A teacher until 1860, and since a physician and surgeon. On Somerville school board from 1880 to 1892, a trustee and president of medical board of Somerville hospital for the last three years. Past master of Ancient York lodge of Masons of Lisbon, Me.; member of Soley lodge, of Orient council, and of DeMolay commandery of Masons; also member of Excelsior council No. 3 of Royal Arcanum, and of Mt. Benedict lodge of Knights of Honor. President of Mystic Valley club. Member of Massachusetts medical society, of American medical association. and ex-president of Boston gynecological society; president of Somerville medical society. On committee on metropolitan affairs in House of 1897.

Vote of district: C. D. Baker, Democrat, 312; Horace C. White, Republican, 996.

District No. 7.—Wards 2, 4 of Somerville.—FRANKLIN E. HUNTRESS, Republican, was born in Biddeford, Me., April 19, 1866; Harvard College, class of 1889. Is in the iron and steel business. Member of common council in 1892-4. Member of Masons, Odd Fellows, and Royal Arcanum. Elected as an independent Republican. On committee on manufactures in House of 1897.

MELVILLE D. JONES, Republican, was born in Boston, Sept. 25, 1842; educated in public schools. Enlisted in 1861 for three months in Co. D, 5th regiment and again in 1862 in Co. F of the 6th for nine months, serving in Virginia; twice wounded; commander of Willard C. Kinsley post 139 G. A. R. In ornamental iron goods business. Member of board of aldermen in 1895-6. Member

of John Abbott lodge, of Somerville royal arch chapter, and of DeMolay commandery of Masons. On committees on elections, and printing, in House of 1897.

FRANKLIN F. PHILLIPS, Republican, was born in Searsmont, Me., Dec. 21, 1852; Bates College, class of 1877. Principal of Rockland, Me, High school 1878-83; state assayer of Maine 1880-40; chemist and chemical agent, 1884-96. Member of common council 1891-2; of aldermen, 1893-4. Member of John Abbott lodge of Masons. On public service committee in House of 1897.

Vote of district: H. Gordon, Democrat, 753; Franklin E. Huntress, Republican Ind. N. P., 1732; Melville D. Jones, Republican Ind. N. P., 1794; G. A. McKinnon, Democrat, 657; Franklin F. Phillips, Republican, 1915; E. A. Stevens, Republican, 1707; M. A. Sullivan, Democrat, 750: S. Wright, Republican, 1426.

District No. 8.—*Ward* 3 *of Somerville.*—LEONARD B. CHANDLER, Republican, was born in Princeton, Aug. 29, 1851; educated in the public schools. In the milk business. Member of common council in 1893 4; of aldermen in 1895-6. Member of John Abbott lodge of Masons, and of Coeur de Lion commandery of Knights Templar. Past grand of Paul Revere lodge of Odd Fellows. On committee on taxation in House of 1897.

Vote of diistrict: R F. Baker, Democrat, 351; Leonard B. Chandler, Republican, 1811.

District No. 9.—*Ward* 1, 2, 4, 5, *Medford.*—J. GILMAN WAITE, Republican; native place, Hubbardston; born March 20, 1837; educated in public schools and academies. Has been school teacher, book-keeper and accountant. Member of the Medford school committee from 1873 to 1893 consecutively; member of the board of commissioners of sinking funds since it was established in 1878; clerk of the Medford savings bank since 1875, and one of its trustees since 1881. In the Masonic fraternity is well known to the members throughout the Commonwealth. On committees on ways and means of the House of 1897.

Vote of district: J. A. Sullivan, Democrat, 469; J. Gilman Waite, Republican, 1232.

District No. 10.—*Everett.*—GEORGE A. BROWN, Republican, was born in Plymouth, Vt., Nov. 24, 1854; educated in common schools. Black River Academy of Ludlow, Vt., and Kimball Union Academy of Meriden, N. H, and at Dartmouth, class of 1877, and Harvard Law School, 1877 8. Principal of Bellows Falls, Vt., high school, 1878-81. Removed to Everett in 1890, having a law office in the Ames building, Boston. Chairman of the village officers of Bellows Falls three years; chairman of the school board there two years. Grand worthy patriarch of Sons of Temperance of Vermont, and delegate from that state to the anti-saloon Republican convention in Chicago. On committee on judiciary, 1896; House chairman of committee on street railways. 1897.

AMOS E. HALL, Republican was born in Marshfield, Vt., July 9, 1838; educated in Morrisville (Vt.) Academy. Was in mercantile business for eight years, but has been in insurance and real estate business for 29 years. Park commissioner of Everett in 1893-4-5-6, being first appointed for three years and re appointed for five years; chairman of the board in 1894-5.6. A Mason. In Odd Fellows, recording secretary six years, noble grand, past grand, representative to grand lodge. On committee on towns in House of 1897.

Vote of district: George A. Brown, Republican, 1888; Amos E. Hall, Republican, 1786; C E. Hobbs, Democrat, 731; S. T. Woodward, Democrat, 620.

District No. 11.—*Malden.*—HARVEY L. BOUTWELL, Republican, of Malden was born in Meredosia, Ill., April 5, 1860; educated in public schools and New

Hampshire state college, class of 1882. Principal of Claremont, N. H., grammar school, 1882-3. Graduate of Boston University law school. 1886; practiced law in Boston since then. Principal of Eliot evening school in Boston for ten years. Member of Malden lodge of Odd Fellows, A. O. U. W., Republican club of Mass., Middlesex Club, Malden board of trade, Marketmen's Republican club, Malden club; United Order of Golden Cross, representing the latter to supreme commandery in 1890. Member of common council, 1893-4. Clerk of committee on metropolitan affairs in House of 1895; on committees on constitutional amendments, and metropolitan affairs (clerk), and House chairman of the committee on redistricting the state, 1896; House chairman of committee on manufactures, 1897.

Charles L. Dean, Republican, was born in Ashford, Conn., May 29, 1844. At 16, he entered the employ of the Westford glass company of that town, and at 21 became a member of the firm of E. A. Buck & Co., glass manufacturers. In 1871, July 17, he engaged in business at 14 Blackstone street, Boston, and has been there ever since, having been from October 15, 1874, senior member of the firm of Dean, Foster & Co. manufacturers of glassware and druggists' sundries, one of the largest firms in New England in their line. Appointed post master at Westford, Conn. at 21, and held the office for 12 years; at 25 he was offered the position of deputy sheriff of Windham county, but declined it. County commissioner of Windham county, Conn. for six years from 1869, being only 25 years of age, and the youngest man that has ever held the position in that state. In 1879-80 was senior aid on the staff of Gov. Andrews of Conn., this giving him the rank of colonel. In 1881-82 he was member of the House of Representatives of Connecticut, serving on important committees. In 1885, he changed his residence from Connecticut to Malden, and has since resided there. Member of the common council in 1892-93; and of the board of aldermen in 1894-5-6, being chairman of the latter in 1896, and a member of the finance committee, the last four of his five years in the city government. President of the First national bank of Stafford Springs, Conn., and one of the stock holders of the Warren woolen company of that place; one of the incorporators and vice president of the Malden trust company, and director of the Malden co-operative savings bank; was one of the incorporators, and is a trustee and a member of the finance committee of the Malden hospital. On his eleventh year as a trustee of the Centre Methodist Episcopal church of Malden. Was a member of the committee that built the Y. M. C. A. building in Malden, and chairman of the finance committee. Member of committee on ways and means in House of 1897.

John A. Powers, Republican, was born in Boston, Sept. 15, 1853; educated in the public schools. Is in the plumbing, gas fitting and hardware business. Member of common council in 1891-2, of aldermen in 1893-4. Member of Mt. Vernon lodge of Masons, Tabernacle chapter, Beauseant commandery, and 32d degree. Past chancellor of Frank E. Converse lodge of Knights of Pythias. On committee on drainage in House of 1897.

Vote of district: Harvey L. Boutwell, Republican, 2817; Charles L. Dean, Republican, 2879; W. F. Merrill, Prohibition, 323; H. F. Pickering, Prohibition, 167; John A. Powers, Republican, 2250; J. C. Robinson, Republican Citizens N. P., 1432; C. F. Shute, Republican Independent, N. P. 668; A. B. Upham, Prohibition, 164; J. J. Walsh, Democrat, 748.

District No. 12.—Wards 3, 6 of Medford, Winchester.—Forrest C. Manchester, Republican, of Winchester, was born in Randolph, Vt., Sept. 11, 1859; educated in the public schools, Randolph state normal school, St. Johnsbury Academy. Boston University law school, class of 1884. Lawyer. Town counsel of Winchester in 1892-3; park commissioner since 1893. Secretary of the Republican club of Massachusetts, 1894-6. On committees on judiciary and rules

in House of 1896; same positions in 1897, and chairman of special committee on proceedings to impeach Melville P. Morrell, a Norfolk county commissioner.

Vote of district: W. J. Daly, Democrat, 363; Forrest C. Manchester, Republican, 1421.

District No. 13.—*Arlington, Lexington.*—GEORGE F. MEAD, Republican, of Lexington, was born in Roxbury, May 22, 1854; educated and graduated from Somerville High school. Member of the commission house of J. D. Mead & Co., Nos. 7 and 9 Fulton street, Boston. Is a member of the Boston Chamber of Commerce; an ex-president of the Boston Fruit & Produce Exchange; has served three years in the Boston associated board of trade; has been president of the Boston Marketmen's Republican club; is a member of election committee of the Republican club of Massachusetts; member of Middlesex club; member of the National League of Commission Merchants of the United States; member of Excelsior council of Royal Arcanum, and of Mt. Benedict lodge Knights of Honor. On committee on metropolitan affairs in House of 1897.

Vote of district: George Franklin Mead, Republican, 1208; W. H. Nolan, Democrat, 428.

District No. 14.—*Belmont, Watertown.*—FRED E. CRAWFORD, Republican, of Watertown was born in Guildhall, Vt., July 7, 1857; Harvard College, class of 1881. Attorney at law. Has held minor town offices. On committees on constitutional amendments, and probate and insolvency in House of 1897.

Vote of district: Fred E. Crawford, Republican, 1269; all others, 23.

District No. 15.—*Waltham.*—OTIS M. GOVE, Republican, was born in Seabrook, N. H., May 3, 1851; educated in the public schools and Oak Grove Seminary of Vassalboro, Me. Was a photographer until 1883, when he retired. Treasurer of Republican city committee for 1891-2-3-4-5-6-7. Member of aldermen in 1892-3. Past grand of Independent lodge of Odd Fellows and its treasurer for the last six years; member of Monitor lodge, Waltham royal arch chapter and Gethsemane commandery of Masons; past patron of Electa chapter O. E. S. Member of Waltham savings bank corporation. On committe on railroads in House of 1897.

GEORGE W. WHIDDEN, Republican, was born in South Danvers (now Peabody), June 15, 1858; educated in the public schools and Westford Academy. Is in the railroad business. Member of Waltham school committee 1892-3-4-5. Past grand of Prospect lodge and member of Waltham encampment of Odd Fellows. Member of committees on State House, and taxation in House of 1897.

Vote of district: Otis M. Gove, Republican, 2287; George W. Whidden, Republican, 2127; J. Carney, no denomination, 277.

District No. 16.—*Newton.*—ALBERT F. HAYWARD.—Republican, of Newton, was born in Bridgewater, January 24, 1840; educated in the public schools. Is a manufacturer of confectionery in Boston, being president and treasurer of Fobes, Hayward & Co. (incorporated.) President of the Puritan trust company of Boston; vice president of Newton Centre trust company, and trustee of Newton Centre savings bank. Member of advisory board of National Association of manufacturing confectioners. On committee on banks and banking in House of 1897.

EDWARD L. PICKARD, Republican, was born in Lewiston, Me., Dec. 25, 1834; educated in the public schools and in Lewiston Falls Academy of Auburn, Me. In the boot and shoe manufacturing business from the age of 14 to 26; in the hide and leather business, partner of N. W. Rice, since March 12, 1860, to the present time. Member of common council of Lynn in 1870-1. On committee on metropolitan affairs in House of 1897.

Vote of district: E. D. Conant, Prohibition, 239; Albert F. Hayward, Republican, 3356; L. Parker, Prohibition, 208; Edward L. Pickard, Republican, 2627.

District No. 17.—*Bedford, Concord, Lincoln, Weston.*—CHARLES E. BROWN Republican, of Concord, was born in that town, Nov. 18, 1850; educated in the public schools and a Boston commercial college. Has been in the wholesale and retail dry goods and clothing business. Town treasurer, 1883-4-5; chairman of selectmen, 1887-8; water commissioner, 1883-4-5-7-8; auditor, 1889-90-1; town clerk, 1894-5-6-7. Trustee and member of investment committee of Middlesex institution for savings; director of Concord national bank. Past master of Corinthian lodge of Masons; past high priest Walden chapter, life member Boston commandery of Knights Templar; past district deputy grand master of 11th district. Member of Massachusetts Republican club, also Middlesex club. Clerk of committee on insurance, 1897.

Vote of district: Charles E. Brown, Republican, 968; all others, 14.

District No. 18.—*Natick.*—FRANCIS C. PERRY, Republican, of Natick, was born in that town, June 27, 1853; educated in the public schools. Railroad agent; real estate and insurance business. Member of the school board in 1894-5-6; overseer of the poor in 1895-6. Member of Meridian lodge of Masons; of Natick council of Royal Arcanum; on committee on insurance, 1897.

Vote of district: D. J. Murphy, Democrat, 1004; Francis C. Perry, Republican, 1074.

District No. 19.—*Ashland, Holliston, Hopkinton, Sherborn.*—JOHN A. WOODBURY, Republican, Hopkinton, born in Southboro, Aug. 22, 1836; public schools. Druggist 23 years; postmaster six years; town clerk 1862-5; school committee three years; assessor 16 years, water commissioner 1888-95. Director in Hopkinton national bank; trustee of Hopkinton savings bank; director and treasurer of Hopkinton railroad. Clerk of committee on towns, 1896; on committee on towns, 1897.

Vote of district; T. F. Dodd, People's Party, 88; W. A. Lenihan, Democrat, 548; John A. Woodbury, Republican, 1009.

District No. 20.—*Framingham.*—JOHN M. MERRIAM Republican, was born in Southbridge, Sept, 20, 1862; educated in Framingham public schools, Phillips Exeter Academy, and Harvard College class of 1886. Studied at Harvard Law School in 1886-7. Private secretary of Senator George F. Hoar at Washington. Clerk of committee on privileges and elections of United States Senate in 1888 9. Is a lawyer. Trustee of Framingham public library, appointed in 1895; trustee of Westborough insane hospital, appointed in 1895. Member of Alpha lodge of Masons. Member of Republican club, of Massachusetts club, and of Bar association of Boston. Clerk of committee on election laws and on committee on bills in 3d reading in House of 1897.

Vote of district: C. W. Coolidge, Democrat, 589; John M. Merriam, Republican, 1204.

District No. 21.—*Marlborough, Sudbury, Wayland.*—WILLIAM L. MORSE, Republican, of Marlborough was born in that city, May 1, 1849; educated in the public schools, Phillips Exeter Academy, Harvard College class of 1874. Merchant since 1874, member of firm of Morse & Bigelow of Marlborough since 1876. Serving 14th consecutive year on school board. Director of First national bank, trustee of the savings bank, both of Marlborough. A civil service examiner for the city. Trustee of the Massachusetts Homoeopathic hospital of Boston. On committee on education in House of 1897.

ATHERTON W. ROGERS, Republican, of (South) Sudbury was born in that town, Aug. 10, 1848; educated in the public schools, and private schools of North Bridgewater and Albany, N. Y. Is engaged in the manufacturing business. Sel-

ectman, 1887-92, inclusive; chairman three years. Trustee of Goodnow library 1883-92, inclusive. On committee on public charitable institutions in House of 1896; clerk of committee on public charitable institutions, 1897.

Vote of district: G. Balcom, Democrat, 1398; W. H. Loughlin, Democrat, 1302; William L. Morse, Republican, 1633; Atherton W. Rogers, Republican, 1410.

District No. 22.—*Boxborough, Hudson, Maynard, Stow.*—RUFUS HOWE, Republican, Hudson, born in Bolton, Sept. 28, 1837: public schools. Enlisted in Co. I, 36th regiment, Aug. 1862; mustered out June, 1865. Commander of Reno post No. 9 G. A. R. three years. Shoe cutter. Committee on taxation, 1897.

Vote of district; C. E. Bennett, Democrat, 583: Rufus Howe, Republican, 973.

District No. 23.—*Acton, Ayer, Littleton, Shirley, Westford.*—OLIVER K. PIERCE, Republican, of Ayer was born in that town, then part of Groton, June 27, 1835; educated in the public schools. Interested in the ice business at Ayer, also superintendent of the Boston Ice Co. in Ayer. A director of the First national bank of Ayer; a trustee and member of the board of investment of the North Middlesex institution for savings of Ayer. Member of selectmen in 1871-2-3 88, of assessors in 1872-3 87; member of board of registrars, 1896-7. Past master of Caleb Butler lodge of Masons; Scottish rite, 32d degree. Member of Robert Burns lodge of Odd Fellows; also of Nonacoicus club of Ayer. On committee on public health in House of 1897.

Vote of district: Oliver K. Pierce, Republican, 1285; all others, 1.

District No. 24.—*Ashby, Groton, Pepperell, Townsend.*—JAMES LAWRENCE, Republican, of Groton, was born in Boston, March 23, 1853; educated in private schools, Harvard College class of 1874, and Harvard Law School class of 1876. On committee on ways and means in House of 1897.

Vote of district: James Lawrence, Republican, 1070; all others, 55.

District No. 25.—*Chelmsford, Dunstable, Wards* 4, 7, 8 *of Lowell, Tyngsboro.*—WILLIAM H. I. HAYES, Republican, of Lowell, was born in Boston, June 21, 1848. His mother removed to Lowell in 1849, his father going to California, where he died. When eight years old, removed to Groton, going on a farm at eleven, and to school only in the winter. When only thirteen, enlisted in Company B of the Sixth Regiment, under call for one-hundred-days men. Spent three days at Faneuil Hall, then returned, April, 1862, as call was changed for three years. In August, 1862, enlisted in Company B, Sixth Regiment, and served in Peck's division, Seventh Army Corps, in Suffolk and Norfolk, Va. Here gained the nickname of "Old Hundred," he was so young and small, being one of the very youngest soldiers who carried a gun. Mr Hayes comes of fighting stock. His grandfather was in the Mexican War; his great-grandfather on his mother's side was at the battle of Bunker Hill; while his great-great-grandfather was Capt. Oliver Parker, in the same fight. The mother of Capt. Oliver Parker did her part also in the struggle against the Indians of those days, of whom she is said to have killed three, who attacked her house in the absence of its male defenders. Having served his first enlistment, he re-enlisted in November, 1863, in Company B of the Fifty-sixth Regiment, and served all through Grant's campaigns, and was finally mustered out at Readville, July, 1865. Is president of Association of Survivors of Company B, Sixth Regiment, which always meets September 15, anniversary of their arrival at Suffolk; also of Association of Survivors of Fifty-sixth Regiment, which meets annually, May 6, anniversary of the battle of the Wilderness. After war, made cigars and travelled as salesman until going into business for himself in 1877, now being a manufacturer of cigars and wholesale dealer in the same, making a specialty of the "Old Hundred" brand, named after the nickname given him while in the army;

overseer of poor; Is member and past commander of B. F. Butler Post, G. A. R.; also of the Red Men, Odd Fellows, Knights of Pythias, and Masons. Director of Home Guaranty insurance company, and of Middlesex trust company of Lowell. On committee on elections and liquor law in House of 1893; committees on insurance, and water supply in House of 1894; committees on street railways, and water supply, 1895; House chairman of committee on State House, and on water supply, 1896; House chairman of committee on cities, and on rules, 1897.

WILLIAM A. LANG, Republican, of Lowell, was born in Limerick, Me., May 26, 1836; educated in public and private schools. Teacher and chaplain of reform school and institutions of Lowell for 35 years. Member of common council, 1885-6. Member of Masons and Knights Templar, also member of Scottish Rite 32d degree; chaplain of Ancient York lodge for the past 30 years; chaplain of Mt. Horeb royal arch chapter and Ahasuerus council for the past 25 years. Committee on fisheries and game in House of 1897.

JAMES P. RAMSAY, Republican, of Lowell, was born in Arbroath, Scotland, April 30, 1861; educated in the public schools. Is engaged in steam railroading. Member of Ancient York lodge of Masons; past noble grand of Excelsior lodge of Odd Fellows. On committee on public service in House of 1897.

Vote of district: G. O. Byam, Democrat, 1870; J. L. Conroy, Democrat, 1717; William H. I. Hayes, Republican, 3011; William A. Lang, Republican, 2938; James P. Ramsay, Republican, 2629; C. W. Whitman, Democrat, 2070.

District No. 26.—Wards 1, 2, 3, 6 of Lowell.—RICHARD DOBBINS, Republican, was born in Lowell, June 2, 1845; educated in the public schools of Lowell. Is a steam boiler manufacturer. Member of Pawtucket lodge of Masons, of Mechanics lodge of Odd Fellows, of Lowell No. 8 council of Royal Arcanum, of Passaconamay tribe of Red Men, and of the Old Residents' association. Member of common council in 1887-8. Enlisted in Co G, second infantry, May 11, 1861, served in the army of the Potomac; mustered out Jan. 16, 1863. Member of James A. Garfield post 120 G. A. R. of Lowell. On committee on public charitable institutions, House of 1897.

JOSEPH E. PATTEE, Republican, was born in Thornton, N. H., April 24' 1843; educated in the public schools. Has been in the staging and hotel business. Has held various town offices of Lincoln and Thornton from 1870 to 1886. Member of the U. A. M.; of Lowell Republican city committee, 1884-5-6-7. On committee on prisons, in House of 1897.

EDWARD THOMAS ROWELL, Republican, was born in Concord, N. H., and passed his boyhood days upon the farm. He graduated at Dartmouth College in 1861. Enlisted as a private soldier in the Fifth N. H. regiment of volunteers in August, 1861, was commissioned second lieutenant in Co. F. 2d regiment, Berdan's United States sharpshooters and promoted to captain and major of his regiment and served until the close of the war. Has been in the newspaper business since the war at Lowell and is now president of the Courier-Citizen company, and president of the Railroad national bank.

Vote of district: Richard Dobbins, Republican, 2803; J. G. Gordon, Democrat, 2102; M. M. Mansfield, Democrat, 2271; Joseph E. Pattee, Republican, 2770, Edward T. Rowell, Republican, 2840; R. W. Stickney, Democrat, 2227.

District No. 27.—Billerica, Burlington, Carlisle, Dracut, Wards 5, 9 of Lowell, North Reading, Tewksbury, Wilmington.—CHARLES E. HOSMER, Republican, of (South) Billerica, was born in Bedford, May 25, 1837; educated in Phillips Academy of Andover, Brown University, and Harvard Medical School, 1861-7. School committee 1881-7, board of health 1894-5. Enlisted May 25, 1862, in 10th Rhode Island, Co. B, for 100 days; also was surgeon's steward in the navy from

June 22 1864, and acting assistant surgeon from March 3, 1865, to Oct. 13, 1865. Was in the two battles of Fort Fisher. Is now a practicing physician. Justice of the peace; president of Bennett library, 1887. On committee on public health, 1896; House chairman of same committee, 1897.

EDWARD A. STEVENS, Republican, of Dracut, was born in that town, Dec. 9, 1841; educated in Lowell High school. Is a farmer. On board of selectmen, assessors and overseers of the poor 1887-8 and 1896; school committee 1872-9, 1891 to present. Member of Centralville lodge of Odd Fellows. On committee on liquor law, 1896; clerk of committee on towns, 1897.

Vote of district M. J. Coughlin, Democrat, 1788; J. F. Donohoe, Democrat. 1896; Charles E. Hosmer, Republican, 2297; Edward A. Stevens, Republican, 2128.

District No. 28.—Reading, Woburn.—JAMES WILSON GRIMES, Republican, of Reading, was born in Hillsborough, N. H., Nov. 21, 1865; educated at Phillips Academy, Andover, and Boston University Law School, class of 1890. Admitted to the bar in Des Moines, Ia., 1890. Member of Suffolk bar and Boston Bar association and is practicing law in Boston. Member of Good Samaritan lodge of Masons, Middlesex and Massachusetts Republican clubs. On committee on probate and insolvency, and clerk of committee on printing, 1897.

ALVA S. WOOD, Republican, of Woburn was born in that city, May 12, 1828; educated in public and private schools and Warren Academy in the class of 1847. Has been engaged in the shoe manufacturing business, a railroad agent, and a book-keeper. Past master of Mt. Horeb lodge of Masons; past high priest of Woburn royal arch chapter; member of Hugh de Payens commandery of Knights Templar of Melrose. Member of Sons of the American Revolution, and of Society of Colonial Wars. On committees on engrossed bills, and libraries in House of 1897.

Vote of district: M. F. D'Arcy, Democrat, 1257; J. P. Feeney, Democrat, 1399; James W. Grimes, Republican, 1883; Alva Sylvanus Wood, Republican, 1934.

District No. 29.—Wakefield.—OTIS V. WATERMAN, Republican, born in Paramaribo, Surinam River, Dutch Guiana, South America, April 13, 1834, his parents being Massachusetts people there temporarily on business. Educated in Boston public schools and Paul Wing's academy at Sandwich. Enlisted in 1st Mass. light battery, April 21, 1861; served in Maryland. Member of H. M. Warren post 12 G. A. R. For 13 years an apothecary, two years a tobacco broker, 25 years clerk of municipal court of Boston, central criminal session: trial justice for Middlesex county, 1874-5-6. Selectman of Wakefield 1883; chairman of selectmen 1894-5-6; tax collector, 1873-4 5; chairman of trustees of Beebe town library 16 years Charter member of Golden Rule lodge of Masons; past grand of Souhegan lodge of Odd Fellows, permanent secretary of same. Private secretary to Gen. Sam. Houston, ex-president of Texas, when he was senator from that state, 1850 to '51. On several important committees on quarter millenial celebration of settlement of ancient Reading, now Wakefield, deliver-in address of welcome in Town hall, May 28, and at banquet at Reading, May 29, 1894. Own cousin to Helen Hunt Jackson, ("H. H."); descended from James Otis of the Revolution, and Nathaniel Waterman, one of the Boston "Tea Party," on his father's side; and from Gen. John Glover of Marblehead on his mother's side. On committee on street railways in House of 1897.

Vote of district: C. W. Locklin, People's Party Democrat, 655; Otis V. Waterman, Republican, 918.

District No. 30.—Stoneham.—WILLIAM H. MARDEN, Republican, Stoneham, born in Charlestown, May 30, 1843. Enlisted in Co. L, 6th infantry, April,

1861; re-enlisted, Sept. 16, 1861, in 2d company of sharpshooters. Made 1st sergeant after Gettysburg. Commander of Post 75, G. A. R., 1894-5. Farmer; shoe laster. Park com. 1893-4-5-6. Committee on labor, 1895; committees on labor and military affairs, 1896; committees on military affairs and towns, 1897.

Vote of district: L. L. Gove, Democrat, 257; William H. Marden, Republican, 987.

District No. 31.—*Melrose.*—GEORGE R. JONES, Republican, was born in Lebanon, Me., but has lived in Melrose since childhood, and was educated in its public schools; also studied in collegiate department Boston University and its law school, and then with Allen, Long and Hemenway. Admitted to the bar in 1886, and has practiced since. In political campaigns has spoken frequently on the stump. On committees on constitutional amendments, and probate and insolvency in House of 1894; House chairman of committee on metropolitan affairs, and on rules, 1895; House chairman of committee on metropolitan affairs, and on committee on rules. 1896; same positions in 1897.

Vote of district; George R. Jones, Republican, 1714; J. J. Skelding, Democrat, 330.

NANTUCKET COUNTY.

District No. 1.—*Nantucket.*—JOHN J. GARDNER, Republican, born there Feb. 22, 1853; public schools. Carpenter, builder, Masons; Odd Fellows; N. E. O. P. Committee on public service, 1895; on harbors snd public lands, 1896; same, 1897.

Vote of district: R. M. Allen, Republican Independent N. P., 215; A. Coffin, Citizens' N. P., 138; John J. Gardner, Republican, 312.

NORFOLK COUNTY.

District No. 1.—*Dedham, Norwood.*—FRANCIS O. WINSLOW, Republican, of Norwood, was born in (South) Dedham (now Norwood) March 20, 1844; educated in public schools and Phillips Academy of Andover in the class of 1863. Retired from the firm of Winslow Brothers, wool pullers and sheep and goat leather manufacturers. President of the Norwood co-operative bank since its organization; director in the Everett national bank of Boston for 15 years; treasurer of the state committee of the Young Men's Christian Associations of Massachusetts and Rhode Island. Member of the Congregational club. Chairman of Norwood school committee 1872-3. On committee on education in House of 1897.

Vote of district: A. C. Smith, Democrat, 695; Francis O. Winslow, Republican, 1365; T. Wuesteman, Socialist Labor, 76.

District No. 2.—*Brookline.*—EMERY B. GIBBS, Republican, was born in Maine, 1862; educated in the public schools and was graduated at Colby University, class of 1888; Boston University Law School, class of 1891; admitted to Suffolk bar same year. For four years member of the Committee of Twenty to consider appropriations in the warrant for the annual town meeting. Member of Republican town committee, 1892-5, and secretary two years. Member of Bethhoran lodge of Masons. Clerk of committee on counties, and on committee on public health in the House of 1897.

Vote of district: J. M. Codman, Citizens, 1237; Emery B. Gibbs, Republican, 1320.

District No. 3.—*Hyde Park.*—CHARLES F. LIGHT, Republican, Hyde Park, born in Dorchester, Mass., Aug. 1, 1860; educated in Boston schools and Boston University Law School, class of 1887. Admitted to bar, 1887. Moved to Hyde Park in 1889. President of Young Men's Republican club of Hyde Park 1891-4; secretary of Hyde Park club, 1892 to 1895. Member of the Republican town

committee, 1893-4-5-6-7; chairman in 1896-7. Practices law in Boston. Member of Norfolk club, of Republican club of Massachusetts, and of Greenhalge club. In House of 1895, on committee on metropolitan affairs; on same committee, and on probate and insolvency, House chairman of special committee on redistricting congressional districts, 1896; House chairman of committee on insurance, and printing, 1897.

Vote of district: A. F. Arnold, Democrat, 392; Charles F. Light, Republican, 1411, J. McKenna, Democrat Independent N. P., 136.

District No. 4.—Canton, Milton.—EDWARD L. PIERCE, Republican, of Milton, born in Stoughton, March 29, 1829; Brown University, 1850; Harvard Law School, 1852. Enlisted, April 18, 1861, Co. L, 3d regiment; mustered out July 22, 1861; post 68 G. A. R. Lawyer. Collector of internal revenue at Boston, 1863-6, district attorney Norfolk and Plymouth counties, 1866-9; secretary of Board of State Charities, 1869 74. Personal friend of Charles Sumner, publishing two volumes of his life in 1877, completing same by two more volumes in 1893. Intimate friend of John Bright. Delegate to national Republican convention 1860, 1876, 1884. Unanimous nominee of his party for Congress, 1890. Publisher of standard works on railroad law, etc. In House of 1875-6, on judiciary committee, being chairman in 1876; on same committee, 1897.

Vote of district:—Edward L. Pierce, Republican, 1021; G. R. R. Rivers, Democrat, 650.

District No. 5.—Quincy.—THADDEUS H. NEWCOMB, Republican, Quincy, born in Quincy, March 15, 1826; public and private schools. Enlisted Sept 16, 1862, in Co. G, 42d; mustered out Sept. 16, 1864; Paul Revere post 88 G. A. R. City council 1889-90-1-2. Knights of Pythias. Committee on liquor law, 1896; House chairman of same, 1897.

JAMES THOMPSON, Republican, of Quincy, was born in south of Scotland, May 18, 1848; came to this country in childhood. His ancestors in this country were among the earliest settlers in the Ohio Valley, establishing themselves upon the present site of Pittsburg, Pa. Educated in Quincy schools. Is a granite manufacturer. Common council 1889 90-1-2, inclusive, president in 1891-2. Mt. Wollaston lodge of Odd Fellows. A director of Granite national bank; an incorporator of Quincy savings bank; president of Granite Manufacturers' association, the product of whose quarries for monumental building purposes is unsnrpassed; vice president of Quincy board of trade. On committee on fisheries and game. 1896; on ways and means, 1897.

Vote of district: M. B. Geary, Democrat, 916; Thaddeus H. Newcomb, Republican, 2141; W. B Orcutt, Democrat, 848; James Thompson, Republican, 1961.

District No. 6.—Braintree, Weymouth.—WILL W. MAYHEW, Republican, of Braintree, was born in that town, Jan. 15, 1857; educated in the public schools. Since 1883 has been engaged in the manufacture of clothing. Member of Rural lodge of Masons: Puritan lodge of Odd Fellows; and Monatiquot lodge of Knights of Pythias; on Republican town committee 11 years. On committee on public service, 1896; on committees on bills in 3d reading, and mercantile affairs, 1897.

EDWARD B. NEVIN, Republican, of Weymouth was born in York, Penn., Nov, 10, 1858; educated in the public schools. Is a wholesale coal dealer. Member of Columbian lodge of Masons, of Commonwealth lodge of Odd Fellows. On committee on railroads in House of 1897.

Vote of district: Will W. Mayhew, Republican, 1789; Edward B. Nevin, Republican, 1670; John Phillips, People's Party, 223; J. B. Whelan, Democrat, 1043.

District No. 7.—Avon, Holbrook, Randolph—HENRY A. BELCHER, Republican of Randolph, was born in that town, Aug. 6, 1845; educated in the public schools. Partner in the firm of R. H. White & Co., of Boston for 19 years, retiring in 1896. On committee on mercantile affairs in House of 1897.

Vote of district: Henry A. Belcher, Republican, 1026; J. K. Willard, Democrat, 717.

District No. 8.—Sharon, Stoughton, Walpole.—WILLIAM CURTIS, Republican, of Stoughton was born in Charleston, S. C., Aug. 8, 1857; educated in the public schools. Is a custom house broker. Selectman in 1894-5. Past junior warden of Rising Star lodge of Masons. Associate member of A. St. John Chambre post No 72, G. A. R. Has been trustee of Stoughton public library, trustee of Rising Star lodge of Masons, vice president of Stoughton Historical and Antiquarian Society, secretary of Republican town committee and treasurer of Commercial Club of Stoughton. On committee on banks and banking in House of 1897.

Vote of district: William Curtis, Republican, 1135; C. S. Harper, Democrat, 439.

District No. 9—Dover, Medfield, Millis, Needham, Wellesley.—ALBERT CLARKE, of Wellesley. (Wellesley Hills), Republican, was born in Granville, Vt., Oct. 13, 1840: educated in the public schools and Barre Academy, class of 1859; honorary degree of A. M. by Dartmouth College. Enlisted Aug. 25, 1862, in 13th Vermont, serving until July 22, 1863. Commanded Company G at Gettysburg, where he was wounded; assisted in capturing cannon and prisoners, and in repulsing Pickett's charge. Member of Gettysburg post 191, G. A. R. of Boston; judge advocate of Dept. of Massachusetts, 1894; national judge advocate general, 1897; Has been a lawyer, editor and publisher, and is now the secretary and executive officer of the Home Market club. Was 1st assistant clerk of Vermont House of Representatives, 1864 8; member of Vermont Senate, 1874; commissioner of state to build house of correction and monuments; president of Vermont & Canada railroad company; president of Rutland (Vt.) board of trade; seven years president of Wellesley club; colonel on staff of Governor of Vermont, 1865; director of national prison association, 1874-8. Member of Massachusetts commandery of the Loyal Legion of the United States. Delegate to Republican national convention 1892. On committees on ways and means, rules, and taxation, in House of 1896; on ways and means, and rules, 1897.

Vote of district: Albert Clarke, Republican, 1236; all others, 13.

District No 10.—Bellingham, Foxboro, Franklin, Medway, Norfolk. Wrentham.—JEFFERSON CUSHING GALLISON, of Franklin, Republican, was born in Sebec, Me., Aug. 8, 1841; educated in public schools, Woodstock High school, and Oxford Normal Institute. As a boy, worked in the office of the Norway, (Me.) Advertiser, succeeding "Artemus Ward" as printer's devil in the famous old office: then served apprenticeship as apothecary. Is a graduate of Harvard, Tufts and Boston University medical schools; was instructor in surgery and demonstrator of anatomy in Tufts and Boston University. He is now surgeon to the New England railroad; medical examiner of sixth Norfolk district; director of Franklin national, Franklin savings and Dean co-operative banks; was director of Milford, Franklin & Providence railroad company. Member of Excelsior lodge of Masons; Milford encampment of Knights Templar; 32d ° A. and A. S. S. R. I.; Mystic shrine, etc. Member of many medical societies; also member of King David lodge of Odd Fellows; member of encampment. Served on local board of health several years: Franklin school board in 1892-3-4. On committees on public health and railroads, 1896; on same committees in 1897.

DANIEL S. WOODMAN, Republican of Medway was born in Kennebunkport, Me., April 12, 1842; educated in the public schools. Enlisted Aug. 23, 1862, in Co. B, 42d regiment, served in Department of the Gulf; wounded at La Fourche Crossing, La.; mustered out Aug. 20, 1863; member of James H. Sargent post No. 130, G. A. R. having been its commander for three years; commander of Wilder Dwight post, two years. Has been a boot workman, but is now in the real estate and grocery business Selectman from 1889 to the present time; except one year chairman of board five years. Member of Charles River lodge of Masons, and A. O. U. W. Member of House in 1890, serving on committee on military affairs. Member of committee on counties in House of 1897.

Vote of district: E. C. Comey, Democrat, 531; Jefferson Cushing Gallison, Republican, 1677; H. E. Madden, Democrat, 482; Daniel S. Woodman, Republican, 1497.

PLYMOUTH COUNTY.

District No. 1.—Kingston, Plymouth.—HORACE P. BAILEY, of Plymouth. Republican, was born in Kingston, March 3, 1840; educated in the public schools, In hardware, plumbing and steam fitting business. Chief of fire department since 1883; secretary of board of water commissioners for the past ten years. Past master of Plymouth lodge of Masons. Committee on drainage, 1896; clerk of fisheries and game, 1897.

Vote of district: Horace P. Bailey, Republican, 1212; P. Cobb, Democrat, 389.

District No. 2.—Duxbury, Marshfield, Norwell, Pembroke, Scituate.—WILLIAM A. JOSSELYN, Republican, of (North) Pembroke, was born, Feb. 8, 1856, in Rockland; educated in the public schools. Has been a boot and shoe cutter, and manufacturer of rands, 1894-5. Serving his second year as master of Phoenix lodge of Masons of Hanover; past grand of North River lodge No. 167 of Odd Fellows of Hanover, for several years has been permanent secretary o the same; district deputy of Mattahesett and Helping Hand lodges of Dux bury. On committee on street railways in House of 1897.

Vote of district: William A. Josselyn, Republican, 1048, all others 18.

District No. 3.—Cohasset, Hingham, Hull.—WALTER LINCOLN BOUVE, of Hingham, Republican, was born in Boston, Oct. 28, 1849; educated in public and private schools, Massachusetts Institute of Technology, 1874, and Harvard Law School, 1879. A civil engineer until 1877; counselor at law since 1880. Special justice of the 2d district court of Plymouth since 1885; commissioner for Georgia since 1889; assistant district attorney for southeastern district, 1890-1; 1st lieutenant First Corps of Cadets since 1890. Clerk of committee on taxation; and on ways and means in House of 1896; chairman of engrossed bills, and on judiciary, 1897.

Vote of district: Walter L. Bouve, Republican, 965; all others 17.

District No. 4.—Hanover, Hanson, Rockland.—EBEN C. WATERMAN, Republican of Hanover, was born in Scituate, (the part now Norwell), March 1, 1840; educated in the public schools, and a graduate of Hanover Academy, class of 1857. By trade a shipwright, having been the last apprentice to that trade on North River. Four years a clerk in the office of the naval constructor at Charlestown navy yard; since that time clerk, book-keeper, notary public, justice of the peace. Selectman, assessor and overseer of the poor of Hanover for the four years ending 1872. Member of Old Colony commandery Knights Templar, and Pilgrim royal arch chapter of Abington, Phoenix lodge of Masons; North River lodge of Odd Fellows; and Fraternal commandery of Golden Cross of Hanover; and Rockland Colony of Pilgrim Fathers, of Rockland, having held various offices in each, and past presiding officer of all but the first two. Member of House

of Representatives, 1891, serving on the committee on labor and as chairman of committee on engrossed bills. On committee on public charitable institutions in House of 1897.

Vote of district: J. G. Knight, Democrat, 449; Eben C. Waterman, Republican, 1003.

District No. 5.—Abington, Whitman.—ERNEST W. CALKINS, Republican, North Abington, was born in that place Dec. 25, 1855; educated in public schools. Book-keeper and clerk in store four years; agent for the Old Colony railroad company at North Abington twelve years; now member of the Whitman Grain & Coal company of Whitman. Member of the Boston Chamber of Commerce; Secretary of the North Abington co-operative bank; member of Massachusetts Consistory, Boston, and Old Colony commandery of Knights Templar, Abington. Has held leading offices in Masonic bodies at Abington. On committee on labor in House of 1896; chairman of pay roll, and clerk of committee on banks and banking, 1897.

Vote of district: Ernest W. Calkins, Republican, 1126; G. P. Hattie, Prohibition, 72; A. B. Reed, Democrat, 727.

District No. 6.—Carver, Lakeville, Marion, Mattapoisett, Rochester, Wareham,— GUSTAVUS ATWOOD, Republican, of Carver was born in (South) Carver, Nov. 18, 1843 in his present residence and was educated in the public schools. Has been mostly in the farm and lumber business, and has also managed a saw and grist mill. Has done carpenter, and mason work, and various other kinds of labor. Has been administrator of several estates, and has been executor and guardian in several cases. Is now a trustee of the E. T. Pratt fund for the public schools of Carver. Was appointed a justice of the peace by Gov. Butler in 1883 and was reappointed by Gov. Bracket in 1890. In 1878 served on the school committee; in 1879 was chosen selectman, assessor and overseer of the poor, and was re-elected in 1880-1. In 1884 was chosen again on the school committee, and has served every year since, being chosen in 1896 for a term of three years. Is a member of Winthrop lodge of Independent Order of Good Templars No. 247, and has held most of the offices of the local lodge. Committee on labor in House of 1897.

Vote of district: Gustavus Atwood, Republican, 894; all others, 5.

District No. 7.—Halifax, Middleborough, Plympton.—DAVID G. PRATT, Republican, of Middleborough was born in Boston, Nov. 7, 1848; educated in private schools and Phillips Exeter Academy, class of 1866. In mercantile business until he retired in 1886. Town electric light commissioner 1894-5; treasurer, secretary and trustee of the Pratt Free School of North Middleborough. Member of Joseph Warren lodge of Masons, of Knights Templar, and of Middlesex Club. On committee on water supply in the House of 1897.

Vote of district: William C. Litchfield, Independent N. P., 712; David G. Pratt, Republican, 721; W. M. Snow, Democrat, 57.

District No. 8.—Bridgewater, East Bridgewater, West Bridgewater.— THOMAS W. CROCKER, Republican, of Bridgewater, was born in Barnstable, Dec. 27, 1832; educated in its public schools and at Paul Wing's private school in Sandwich. Was country merchant until 1884, and has been in the life insurance business since then. Registrar of voters for 10 years. For two years, and at present on board of selectmen. Justice of the peace to issue warrants and to take bail. Member of Knights of Honor and Odd Fellows. On committee on agriculture in House of 1897.

Vote of district: Thomas W. Crocker, Republican, 913; H. A. Keith, Democrat, 269.

District No. 9.—Wards 3, 4 of Brockton.—EUGENE B. ESTES, Republican, was born in West Bridgewater, Dec. 7, 1850; educated in the public schools. Machine operator in shoe factory. Past commander of R. B. Grover camp Sons of Veterans; ex-senator of Red Sea Senate Ancient Essenic Order; past master workman of A. O. U. W. Clerk of committee on liquor law, and on federal relations in House of 1897.

Vote of district: Eugene B. Estes, Republican, 954; W. H. Flagg, People's party, Labor. Democrat, 651.

District No. 10.—Wards 1, 2, 5 of Brockton.—FREDERICK HANSON, of Brockton, Republican, was born in Weymouth, May 2, 1835; educated in public and private schools. In furniture business from 16 to 29; in granite and marble business since then until the present. Enlisted July, 1865 in Co. C, 60th regiment, served in the West; discharged in December, 1865. Member of Fletcher Webster post G. A. R., serving as quartermaster and on various committees. Committee on State House in House of 1896; House chairman of State House, and on drainage, 1897.

CHARLES W. TILTON, Republican, born in China, Me., April 6, 1836; public schools. Removed to Brockton at 18; forty years in shoe business. Enlisted Aug. 20, 1862, in Co. K, 43d regiment, discharged July 30, 1863. Member of Fletcher Webster post 13, G. A. R, chaplain for two years. Inspector of elections in 1882; common council, 1883 4-5; aldermen, 1886; registrar since 1887. Is a shoe finisher. On committee on counties, and on special committee on redistricting the state, 1896; on prisons, 1897.

Vote of district: C. H. Coulter, People's Party, Labor, Democrat, 638; Frederic Hanson, Republican 1352; G. E. Kinsley, Democrat, People's Party, 438; Charles W. Tilton, Republican, 1402.

District No. 11.—Wards 6, 7 of Brockton.—FREDERIC W. HATHAWAY, Republican, was born in Fairhaven, March 6, 1836; educated in the public schools. Enlisted in Co. C, 60th regiment. Member of Fletcher Webster post G. A. R. Member of Knights of Pythias. Is a shoe maker. Assistaat assesor sor, 1896. Member of House in 1893-4-5, serving on committee on harbors and public lands; on same commitee and election laws, 1897.

Vote of district: A. W. Butler, Republican Ind. N. P. 413; W. D. Faulkner, People's Party, Labor, Democrat, 465; Frederic W. Hathaway, Republican, 768.

SUFFOLK COUNTY.

District No. 1.—Ward 1 of Boston.—HUGH L. STALKER, Republican, was born in Nova Scotia, Dec. 31, 1859, educated in the public schools. Is a grocer. Member of common council 1893-4. Member of the Masons and Odd Fellows. On committee on metropolitan affairs in House of 1897.

Vote of district: John L. Bates, Republican, 2443; J. R. Hobdell, Democrat, 869; Hugh L. Stalker, Republican, 2204; J. Stapleton, Democrat, 845.

District No. 2.—Ward 2 of Boston.—MANASSEH E. BRADLEY, Democrat, born in Donegal, Ireland, Aug. 15, 1863; to East Boston, 1867; public schools. Shipping clerk. A. O. H.; Columbian Rowing association. Common council, 1893-4. Committee on liquor law, 1895; public service, 1896; manufactures, 1897.

JOHN L. KELLY, Democrat, born in Boston, March 29, 1869; public schools. Grocer. Common council, 1895-6. Committee on mercantile affairs, 1897.

Vote of district: Manasseh E. Bradley, Democrat, 2016; H. B. Hobbs, Republican, 748; H. W. Johnson, Republican, 645; John L. Kelly, Democrat, 2074.

District No. 3.—Ward 3 of Boston.—DAVID B. SHAW, Democrat, born in Boston, (Charlestown) Aug. 20, 1870; public schools and Boston University. Furniture polisher; now law student in office of Hon. Joseph J. Corbett and Boston University Law School. Member of Knights of Columbus. Committee on metropolitan affairs, 1896; clerk of same, 1897.

PETER F. TAGUE, Democrat, born in Boston, June 4, 1871; public schools. Book-keeper, and representative of Neverslip Manufacturing Company. A. O. U. W. Committee on federal relations, 1897.

Vote of district: G. H. Robbins, Republican, 797; David B. Shaw, Democrat, 1638; Peter F. Tague, Democrat, 1550.

District No. 4.—Ward 4 of Boston.—JEREMIAH J. MCCARTHY, Republican, was born in Charlestown, 1852, and was educated in Bunker Hill school. Early earning his own living, he learned the morocco-dressing trade, which he followed several years. When only seventeen, he ran as volunteer on the Bunker Hill fire-engine, and later was a member of Washington hose company. Was first treasurer of Charlestown Volunteer Firemen's association, holding the office several years; was originator of the Firemen's Tournament on June 17, 1890, and Gov. Brackett put him on the state board of fire commissioners to expend the $10,000 for disabled firemen; president of the Charlestown Volunteer Firemen association. Before and after Charlestown was annexed to Boston he was active in politics although this is the first office for which he has allowed his name to be used. In 1888, he was a leading spirit in the movement that sent Gen. Banks to Congress. He was alternate delegate to the Republican national convention at Minneapolis in 1892; assistant water commissioner of Boston, appointed by Mayor Curtis, at a salary of $3500, until resigning; member of Middlesex club, and of the Charlestown club. Director of Charlestown trade association. Committee on harbors and public lands, and rapid transit in House of 1893; clerk of committee on railroads, and on committee on transit, 1894; committees on constitutional amendments and railroads, 1895. House chairman of committee on constitutional amendments, and on railroads, and member of the committee to redistrict the state, 1896; clerk of railroads, and on metropolitan affairs, 1897; monitor 1894-5-6 7.

MARK E. SMITH, Republican, was born in Boston, June 22, 1871; educated in the Bunker Hill grammar, and English High schools, of Boston. Member of Charlestown Cadets, Co. A, 5th Infantry, M. V. M. Clerk of committee on military affairs in House of 1897.

Vote of district: T. J. Donovan, Democrat, 941; Jeremiah J. McCarthy, Republican, 1597; Mark E. Smith, Republican, 1036; H L. Wightman, Democrat, 674.

District No. 5.—Ward 5 of Boston.—ROBERT F. DENVIR, Democrat, of Boston was born in Boston (Charlestown) Sept. 8, 1840; educated in the public schools. His great grandfather on his mother's side fought all through the war of the Revolution and was at battles of Bunker Hill and Ticonderoga, Captain Fuller's company, and Colonel Wm. McIntosh's regiment; president of church choir of 70 singers. Has been a master plumber for 30 years. Member of lodge of United Workmen and of the Veteran Firemen's association. Past ruler of Frothingham assembly Royal Society of Good Fellows; member of the Star club, social; Hawthorne social club, Catholics' Union. On committee on public health, 1896; same, 1897.

JAMES H. LEARY, Democrat, born in Swansea, Wales, Nov. 28, 1868; public schools of Boston, Boston College. Principal of Warren evening school, Boston. Committee on printing, 1896; same, 1897.

Vote of district: G. W. Bliss, Republican, 801; Robert F. Denvir, Democrat, 1309; James H. Leary, Democrat, 1193; F. A. Norton, Republican, 871.

District No. 6—Ward 6 of Boston.—JEREMIAH E. MAHONEY, Democrat, born in Boston, Nov. 8, 1863; public schools. Printer. Tobacconist. Common council, 1893-4-5. Committee on drainage, 1896; printing, 1897.

DANIEL D. ROURKE, Democrat, born in Boston 26 years ago; public schools, St. Mary's parochial school. Paper hanger. Common council, 1893-4. Member of St. Stephen's Young Men's Catholic Lyceum, New England Amateur Barge Rowing association; A. O. H., Charlestown Literary Union; President of Commonwealth club; member of Atlantic yacht club, Puritana outing club, Knights of Columbus. House chairman of committee to attend dedication of John Boyle O'Reilly monument on Back Bay Fens; on committee on dedication of Robert G. Shaw monument; also on committee in 1896 to locate the Congressional district lines: in 1897 introduced bills for new Suffolk reformatory and for tunnel to East Boston. on committee on printing, 1895; counties, 1896; street railways, 1897.

Vote of district: M. C. Cook, Republican, 843; Jeremiah E. Mahoney, Democrat, 1495; A. Pinkofsky, Republican, 889; Daniel D. Rourke, Democrat, 1600.

District No. 7.—Ward 7 of Boston.—DANIEL M. DRISCOLL, Democrat, born in Boston. Jan. 2. 1861; public schools, Quincy High School. Drug business, 1880; with J. H. Mullane & Co. since. Democratic committee several years. American Legion of Honor. Committee on public health, 1895; prisons 1896; same, 1897.

JOHN J. FALVEY, Democrat, was born in Boston, May 26, 1864; educated in its public schools. Is a shoe pattern designer. Common council, 1896. On committee on liquor law, 1897.

Vote of district: C. A. Bates, Republican, 830; W. C. Cooke, Republican, 848; Daniel M. Driscoll, Democrat, 1368; John J. Falvey, Democrat, 1340; M. J. Maloney, Republican, Ind. N. P., 159.

District No. 8.—Ward 8, of Boston.—THOMAS FRANCIS KEENAN, Democrat, of Boston, was born in Boston in 1854; educated in its public schools, graduating from English High school in 1868. Since then has always been engaged in journalism in Boston, especially on the Herald and Globe. Common council, 1888-9; alderman, 1891-2. Introduced bills for free university in Boston, and to place statues of Gens. Grant, Sherman, Sheridan and "Fighting Joe Hooker" on the state capitol grounds in 1895; a $50,000 bronze statue being voted to Gen. Hooker, 1896. Committee on education, 1895; on mercantile affairs and on special committee to redistrict the state, 1896; ways and means, 1897.

DAVID T. KING, Democrat, of Boston, born in Milton, Jan. 18, 1865; public schools. Plumber. Common council, 1893-4-5. Committee on federal relations, 1896; elections, labor, 1897.

Vote of district: W. W. Fair, Republican, 1226; Thomas F. Keenan. Democrat, 1640; David T. King, Democrat, 1467; M. S. Lourie, Republican, 1189; D. J. O'Brien, Democrat, Ind. N. P., 380.

District No. 9.—Ward 9 of Boston.—JAMES KEENAN, Democrat, born in County Armagh, Ireland, March 4, 1850; educated in public schools, Dover, N. H., Phillips Academy of Exeter; for two years in class of 1874, Harvard College. Wholesale glassware business. Common council, 1892 3-4; Democratic ward and city committee; Irish Charitable Society. In House of 1895, committee on liquor law; 1896, on fisheries and game, and special committee on Boston congressional districts; 1897. election laws, and public charitable institutions.

JOHN A. KELIHER, Democrat, of Boston, was born in that city, Nov. 6, 1866; educated in its public schools, graduating from the English High school.

Engaged in newspaper work. Member of Boston athletic association. Member of Democratic city committee, 1893 4 5; chairman of 16th Suffolk ward committee, 1895; of 9th Suffolk, 1896; member of campaign committee of Democratic city committee in state and city campaigns of 1895. On committee on State House. and on special committee on redistricting the state, 1896; on metropolitan affairs, 1897.

Vote of district: D. H. Irving, Republican, Citizens N. P., 271; James Keenan, Democrat, 1540; John A. Keliher, Democrat, 1079; F. H. Krebs, Jr., Republican, 1434; E. T. Mallory, Republican, 941.

District No. 10.—*Ward* 10 *of Boston.*—CHARLES H. INNES, Republican, was born in Boston, Aug. 6, 1870; educated in the public schools and Boston University Law School, class of 1892. Is a lawyer. Member of common council in 1896. On committee on railroads in House of 1897.

FREEMAN O. EMERSON, Republican, was born in Gorham, N. H., Jan. 12, 1857; educated at Hebron Academy, Hebron, Me. Removed to Boston at an early age and entered the store of J. H. Getchell & Co., where he remained 16 years, and was then for four years with George E. Freeman & Co. Is now senior proprietor of Emerson Bros., dealers in gents' furnishings at 39 Boylston street. Member of common council from famous ward 17 in 1892, being re e-lected in 1893-4. Under new division of wards now in ward 10. Prominent in fraternal orders, being a member of the grand lodges of Odd Fellows, Knights of Pythias, and Knights of Malta. Served two years as aide-de-camp on staff of the grand sire of the Odd Fellows. Member of the Lincoln Republican club, of the L. A. W., and other similar organizations and social associations. On committee on street railways in House of 1897.

Vote of district: Freeman O. Emerson, Republican, 2806; Charles H. Innes, Republican, 2798; C. F. Richards, Jr., Democrat, 580; D. J. Stanton, Democrat, 584.

District No. 11.—*Ward* 11 *of Boston.*—FRANCIS C. LOWELL, Republican, was born in Boston, Jan. 7, 1855; was educated in private schools and Harvard College, class of 1876. Is a lawyer, with offices in the Exchange building; member of firm of Lowell, Stimson & Lowell. Member of common council, 1889-90-91. In the House of 1895, on committees on rules and judiciary. House chairman of committee on taxation, and on committees on rules, and ways and means, 1896; House chairman of committee on ways and means, and on committee on rules, 1897.

WILLIAM L. REED, Republican, of Boston, was born in Danville, Va., April 5, 1866, graduate of Stoneham High school and Bryant & Stratton's commercial college. Member of Republican ward committee, 1894-5. Member of Eureka lodge of Masons. Clerk of committee on parishes and religious societies, and on committee on State House, 1896; clerk of committees on libraries and public service, 1897.

Vote of district: Francis C. Lowell, Republican, 2733; A. W. Monty, Republican Citizens N. P., 264; J. H. Morison, Democrat, 1245; O. T O'Leary, Democrat, 362; William L. Reed, Republican, 1708

District No. 12.—*Ward* 12 *of Boston.*—JAMES M. DOUGLASS, of Boston, Republican, was born in Sebago, Me., Feb. 25, 1839; educated in the public schools and Bridgton Academy of North Bridgton. Me. Taught school from 1860 to 1865: in the express business since. Member of ward committee of 1895; member of Alpha council No. 1, Royal Arcanum, and its treasurer four years; of Knights of Honor, and of Washington lodge of Odd Fellows. On committee on prisons, 1896; clerk of same, and on pay roll, 1897.

JOHN W. JOHNSON, Republican, was born at Framingham, June 14, 1856; educated in its public schools and academy, graduated from the Harvard Medical School in 1877. Is a physician; was for several years professor of obstetrics in the Tufts College Medical School. Member of common council, 1895. Member of Rabboni lodge of Masons; Mt. Vernon royal arch chapter, Orient council of Royal and Select Masters, 32d degree Mason; Newton lodge I. O. O. F. Physician to the Boston North End Mission. Past dictator of Highland lodge of K. of H.; ex-governor Xenordocum colony U.O.P.F.; member of Massachusetts medical society, American medical society, and Boston gynaecological society. Committee on public health in House of 1896; on banks and banking, and public health, 1897.

Vote of district: James M. Douglass, Republican, 1315; John W. Johnson, Republican, 2286; J. H. Keenan, Democrat, 1013; A. G. Neary, Democrat, 874.

District No. 13.—*Ward* 13 *of Boston.*—JAMES B. CLANCY, Democrat, was born in Boston, May 26, 1868; educated in public schools. Managing telegrapher. Member Democratic city committee, 1894-5-6; of Knights of Columbus, of telegraphers' mutual aid and literary association, of Electric Club, and of "Baker's Dozen."

JAMES S. MCKENNA, of Boston, was born in South Boston, Jan 11, 1864; educated in the public schools. Is a barrel dealer. On committee on pay roll, 1896; on committees on engrossed bills, and parishes and religious societies, 1897.

Vote of district: P. Anderson, Republican, 218; James B. Clancy, Democrat, 1929; M. J. McCullough, Democrat, Ind. N. P., 1372; James S. McKenna, Democrat, 1868; A. Stockman, Rebulpican, 207.

District No. 14.—*Ward* 14 *of Boston.*—JOHN. E. BALDWIN, Democrat, was born in (South) Boston, June 26, 1869, public schools and Bryant & Stratton's commercial college. Book-keeper. Common council, 1894-5 6. Clerk of committee on federal relations, 1897.

JOHN J. TOOMEY, Democrat, born in Boston, Sept. 18, 1868; educated in the primaries, the Bigelow Grammar school, and Comer's Commercial College for one term. Is a reporter on the Boston Globe. Member of South Boston council 78, Knights of Columbus, Farragut lodge 165, Ancient Order of United Workmen; secretary of the South Boston historical society; also member of the Mosquito Fleet yacht club, South Boston citizens' association, and the Jolly Pilgrims. On committee on public service in House of 1897.

Vote of district: W. H. Andrews, Republican, 1287; John E. Baldwin, Democrat, 1804; J. F. Perkins, Republican, 1155; John J. Toomey, Democrat 1804.

District No. 15. *Ward* 15 *of Boston.*—JOHN A. MCMANUS, Democrat, was born in Bangor, Me., March 29, 1860; public schools. Iron roller, later fruit dealer. Ancient Order of Hibernians, Wolftone association, and of Foresters. On committee on harbors and public lands, 1897.

MICHAEL J. REIDY, Democrat, born in Boston (South,) Aug. 8, 1870; public schools. Stenogragher and telegraph operator. Common council, 1894-5. Knights of Columbus, A. O. H.; Secretary of Democratic ward committee. Committee on education, 1896; on constitutional amendments, and State House, 1897.

Vote of district: S. W. Johnson, Republican, 903; John A. McManus, Democrat, 1692; R. F. Means, Republican Independent N. P., 410; Michael J. Reidy, Democrat, 1741; W. F. Sears, Republican, 831.

District No. 16.—*Ward* 16 *of Boston.*—OSGOOD C. BLANEY, Republican, was born in Boston, Jan. 20, 1860; educated in its public schools. Is a metal refiner. Common council, 1890; sealer of weights and measures, 1895-6. Member of Odd Fellows. Committee on election laws, in House of 1897.

ALBERT W. LYON, Republican, was born in Maine; educated in Boston public schools and Boston University Law School, 1893. Lawyer, justice of the peace, notary public. Member of Union lodge of Masons, of Dorchester royal arch chapter, of Boston council of Royal and Select Masters, of Boston commandery of Knights Templar; of North Dorchester Republican club; secretary of Boston marketmen's club, member of Roxbury bicycle club, and League of American Wheelmen. On committees on constitutional amendments, and public service in House of 1897.

Vote of district; Osgood C. Blaney, Republican, 1785; T. F. Donovan, Democrat, 1179; J. Drohan, Democrat, 1286; Albert W. Lyon, Republican, 1549.

District No. 17.—*Ward* 17 *of Boston.*—GEORGE H. NORTON, Democrat, was born in Boston, May 28, 1863; graduate of grammar and Roxbury High school. Real estate business. Member of Knights of Labor until they disbanded. Member of Democratic ward and city committee for years. On committee on water supply, 1897.

CHARLES I. QUIRK, of Boston, Democrat, was born in Boston, Aug. 15, 1871; educated in its public schools, and Boston College, class of 1891. Professor at Boston College one year; studied law at Boston University Law School, being in class of 1896 of that institution; admitted to Suffolk bar, Dec. 12, 1894. Committees on judiciary, and probate and insolvency, 1895; probate and insolvency, and elections, 1896; probate and insolvency, and election laws, 1897.

Vote of district: J. Ballantyne, Republican, 1228; C. A. Bancroft, Republican, 1203. George H. Norton, Democrat, 1829; Charles I. Quirk, Democrat, 1905.

District No. 18.—*Ward* 18 *of Boston.*—DANIEL J. CURLEY, Democrat, born in Athlone, Ireland, April 2, 1851. Engineer. In House of 1877, committee on engrossed bills; same committee, 1896; libraries, parishes and religious societies, 1897.

FRANK J. O'TOOLE, of Boston, Democrat, born in that city Oct. 13, 1867; English High school. Wholesale tobacco business. Committee on parishes and religious societies, 1896; elections, taxation, 1897.

Vote of district: T. Adams, Republican, 1338; J. S. Coombs, Republican, 1243; Daniel J. Curley, Democrat, 1383; Frank J. O'Toole, Democrat, 1541.

District No. 19.—*Ward* 19, *of Boston.*—JOHN J. FENENO, Democrat, born in Boston, March 24, 1866: Comins school. Salesman for Boston furnace company. On committee on liquor law, 1897.

OLIVER S. GRANT, Democrat, born in Boston (Roxbury), April 30, 1865; public schools. Electrical contractor. Committee on education, 1897.

Vote of district: John J. Feneno, Democrat, Citizens N. P., 1699; Oliver S. Grant, Democrat, 1667; W. H. Morgan, Democrat, 976; J. F. Pfau, Repubcan, 723; G. M. Schell, Republican, 759.

District No. 20.—*Ward* 20, *of Boston.*—THOMAS COGSWELL BACHELDER, Republican, born in Gilmanton, N. H., Nov. 6, 1860; Boston Latin school; Harvard College, 1883; Harvard Law School, 1886. Common council, 1896. Member of Dorchester council of Royal Arcanum, clerk of Harvard improvement association, treasurer of Harvard Congregational Church. Clerk of committee on probate and insolvency, and on constitutional amendments, 1897.

JOSEPH I. STEWART, Republican, was born in Bloomfield, New Brunswick, April 25, 1847; educated in the public schools. Piano and cabinet wood work and real estate and builder for the last 13 years. A master Mason, a chapter

Mason, a Knight Templar, and supreme trustee of U. O. G. C. On committee on metropolitan affairs in House of 1897.

Vote of district: Thomas Cogswell Bachelder, Republican. 2584; M. Condon, Democrat, 950; W. J. Power, Democrat, 1045; Joseph I. Stewart, Republican 2485.

District No. 21.—*Ward* 21 *of Boston.*—RICHARD F. ANDREWS, JR, Republican, was born in Lynn, April 13, 1863; educated in Boston public schools. Has been in a law office; now in real estate and insurance business Member of common council. 1893-4-5. Member of Nelson A. Miles camp No. 46, Sons of Veterans; Roxbury club, and Dudley association. Committee on insurance, 1897.

WILLIAM E. SKILLINGS. Republican, son of the late David N. Skillings of Winchester, was born in Boston, Oct, 28, 1843: educated in Winchester High school, and Harvard College, class of 1866. Then spent several years in European travel, and as a war correspondent was an eye witness of the stirring events of the Franco-Prussian war in 1870 and entered Paris with the French National Guard when that city was taken from the Communists in 1871. On his return to this country he assumed the management of his father's extensive lumber business in Maine and resided in that state for many years. He is a member of an English corporation extensively engaged in the lumber business, and is one of the directors and resident manager in this country. Member of the University and Roxbury clubs; member of Bethel lodge of Masons, and of Lewiston commandery Knights Templar. On committee on manufactures in House of 1897, and author of its able and exhaustive report on its investigation of the gas fatalities in Boston, a subject referred to that committee by special order of the two branches.

Vote of district: L. Abraham, Democrat, 897; Richard F. Andrews, Jr., Republican, 2713; D. D. Kearns, Democrat, 818; William E. Skillings, Republican, 2580.

District No. 22.—*Ward* 22 *of Boston.*—JOHN BLEILER, Republican, was born in Bavaria. Germany, May 9, 1837; educated in the public schools; removed to this couutry in 1850. Is a provision dealer. Member of the Tremont lodge of Knights of Honor, of John Winthrop Colony of Pilgrim Fathers; and of the Schawban Verein. Served in the militia 32 years. On committee on liquor law in House of 1897.

ARTHUR A. MAXWELL, Republican, was born in Wells, Me., Jan. 24, 1858; educated in Berwick Academy, and Dartmouth College. class of 1883; Boston University Law School, class of 1885. Is a lawyer, and is assistant counsel of the New York & New Haven Railroad Company. Member of Society of Sons of American Revolution, Pine Tree state club, Eliot and Dartmouth clubs. On committee on mercantile affairs, and on congressional districts, 1896; House chairman of mercantile affairs, 1897.

Vote of district: John Bleiler, Republican, 1913; C. D. Hourin, Democrat 1072; Arthur A. Maxwell, Republican, 1942; J. F. Sullivan, Democrat, 1288.

District No. 23.—*Ward* 23 *of Boston*—FRANK W. ESTEY, Republican, was born in Limerick, Me., Dec 16, 1866; educated in public schools. Is a bookkeeper. On committee on insurance in House of 1897.

LEMUEL W. PETERS, Republican. born in Blue Hill, Me., July 29, 1860; educated at Blue Hill Academy, Wesleyan University, class of 1884, and Boston University Law School, class of 1887; was admitted to Suffolk Bar, 1887. On committee on constitutional amendments, and State House (clerk) in House of 1897.

Vote of district: Frank W. Estey, Republican. 1795; W. J. Leonard, Democrat, 1227; G. F. Newhall, Democrat, 1195; Lemuel W. Peters, Republican, 1915.

District No. 24.—*Ward* 24 *of Boston.*—JONATHAN B. L. BARTLETT, Republican was born in Jay, Me., Oct. 11, 1849; educated in the public schools and Walton Academy. Removed to Dorchester in 1873, and for 12 years, as carrier and superintendent, was connected with the Mattapan post office, conducting it so well that it was officially pronounced the best conducted office of its size in the country. Resigning from that position some three years ago, he has since been in the real estate business, being treasurer and manager of the Blue Hill terrace company. Member of Macedonia lodge of Masons, of St. Stephen chapter, of Hyde Park council and of Cyprus commandery of Knights Templar, and 32d° Mason; and member of Roxbury Military Historical Society. On committees on elections and taxation in House of 1897.

EDWARD B. CALLENDER, Republican, was born in Boston, Feb. 23, 1851; educated in the public schools and Harvard College, class of 1872, and Harvard Law School, 1874. Is an attorney at law, also an author, of "Thaddeus Stevens, Commoner; a biography," and of "The Leg Pullers, a political story." Member of the House of 1879, on committees on probate and insolvency; on same committee, and on public health, 1897.

Vote of district: Jonathan B. L. Bartlett, Republican, 2571; Edward B. Callender, Republican, 2497; Q. W. Lothrop, Democrat, 933; C. F. M. Malley, Democrat, 892.

District. No. 25.—*Ward* 25 *of Boston*—A. GLENDON DYAR, Republican, was born in Medford, Aug. 4, 1860; educated in Boston public schools. Provision dealer. Member of 1st regiment from 1878 to 1892, in various grades from private to captain. A. O. U. W. Committee on mercantile affairs, 1897.

FREDERICK HAMMOND, Republican, was born in Ashburnham, Feb. 27, 1847; educated in public schools and Bryant & Stratton's commercial college. Enlisted Aug. 23, 1864, in Co. H, 4th Mass. Heavy Artillery, served in Va., mustered out June 17, 1865. Vice commander of post 92 G. A.R. Is a merchant. On committee on harbors and public lands, 1897.

Vote of district: A. Glendon Dyar, Republican, 1427; Frederick Hammond, Republican, 1550; J. J. Hannon, Democrat, 1189; G. H. Wentworth, Democrat, 958.

District No. 26.—*Wards* 1, 2 *of Chelsea.*—FRANKLIN O. BARNES, Republican, of Chelsea, was born in that city, Nov. 14, 1841; educated in its public schools, and in Wilbraham Academy, class of 1859. Is practicing law. Enlisted Aug. 16, 1862, in Co. H, 43d infantry: served as corporal; discharged July 30, 1863. Charter member of Theodore Winthrop post 35 G. A. R.; its commander in 1876. Past master of Robert Lash lodge of Masons; past grand chief of Knights of Golden Eagle of Mass.; past grand leader of Home Circle of Mass.; past regent of Royal Arcanum and past master workman of A. O. U. W. In common council, 1870-71-75-76, and its president the last two years. Member of school committee since Jan. 1, 1879. In House of Representatives, 1889, on committees on labor and printing; in 1890 on rules, House chairman of committee on manufactures, and on special committee on G. A. R. encampment. House chairman of committee on military affairs, and on committee on metropolitan affairs in 1895; House chairman of committee on military affairs, and on metropolitan affairs, 1896; same positions, 1897.

Vote of district: Franklin O. Barnes, Republican, 1121; J. J. Kane, Democrat, 995.

District No. 27—*Wards* 3, 4 *of Chelsea*—E. WALTER EVERETT, Republican, born in St. John N. B., April 11, 1864; educated in its public schools and those of Chelsea. A journalist for most of the time since 21. Member of common council 1890-1-2; now on board of registrars; serving sixth consecutive term

as member of Republican city committee, three years as its secretary. A charter member and the first noble grand of Lincoln lodge of Odd Fellows. A charter member also of Paul Revere commandery of Knights of Malta, and Powderhorn lodge of Good Templars, being the first chief templar of latter, and a past district templar of Suffolk district, and member of Massachusetts grand lodge; elected by grand lodge, 1897, as an alternate delegate to the international supreme session at Zurich, Switzerland; member of Republican league club of Chelsea. Committee on counties in House of 1897.

Vote of district: Willard H. Dunbar, Republican Independent N. P., 859; E. Walter Everett, Republican, 1120.

District No. 28.—Ward 5 of Chelsea, Revere, Winthrop.—SCOTT F. BICKFORD, Republican, of Revere, was born in Newburyport, Nov. 14, 1864, and was educated in its public schools. From 1882 until 1883 was on the Eastern as railroad station agent, telegraph operator; was stenographer and telegraph operator from 1883 until 1891, and since then has been a stock and bond broker. Is a 32d degree Mason, member of Newburyport commandery Knights Templar, Massachusetts consistory, Aleppo temple Mystic Shrine; of Mystic lodge of Odd Fellows of Chelsea; of Paul Revere council of Royal Arcanum of Beachmont; Sons of Colonial Wars, Sons of the American Revolution; of Mayflower commandery of the Golden Cross of Revere; of Winnisimmet colony of Pilgrim Fathers of Revere; and of the Review club of Chelsea. A national bank director, also director in several corporations. For two years was president of Revere board of trade. Committee on banks and banking in House of 1897.

Vote of district: Scott F. Bickford, Republican, 1837; C. C. Cunningham, Democrat Bryan N. P., 232; B. F. DeButts, Democrat Citizens N. P., 660.

WORCESTER COUNTY.

District No. 1. —Athol, Phillipston, Royalston.—WILLIAM H. MELLEN, Republican, of Athol. was born in Spofford, N. S., Nov. 9, 1842. At the age of four years removed to Orange, Mass.. where he was educated in public schools. In 1861 enlisted in Co. A, 21st regt for three years; was in the battles of Roanoke, Newbern, Camden, and second Bull Run; was in the 9th army corps under Gen. Burnside; was discharged, May 5, 1864. At the close of the war engaged in the furniture bnsiness from 1864 to 1890; in the lumber business from 1890 to 1894. Elected selectman 1894-5-6-7; assessor, 1894 5-6-7; overseer of the poor, 1895-6; highway surveyor, 1894-5-6-7; board of health, 1894-5. Is a member of the Athol board of trade, Pequoig club, uniform rank Knights of Pythias. Republican town committee; and H. V. Smith post 140 G. A. R., having served the post as commander for two years. On committee on military affairs, 1897.

Vote of district: W. H. Mellen, Republican, 793; C. Pierce, Democrat, 223; H. L. Hapgood, Republican, Independent, N. P., 606.

District No. 2.—Ashburnham. Gardner, Templeton, Winchendon.—LEVI G. MCKNIGHT, Republican, of Gardner was born in Ellington, Ct., April 30, 1843; educated in the public schools. Enlisted in Co. H., 25th regiment, Sept. 17, 1861; mustered out Jan. 26,1865; member of Post 10 G. A. R.; commander of Post 116 for two years; first national color bearer of the Grand Army to carry the national flag; served on Gen. Alger's staff and on Capt. "Jack" Adams' staff; past president of ex-prisoners of war association; chairman of national ex-prisoners; or war association ;vice-president of Massachusetts ex-prisoners of war association vice-president of the Boys in Blue of '61 and '65. Member of A. O. U. W.; of Athlestan lodge of Masons, of North Star chapter, of Hiram council. and warden of Ivanhoe commandery of Knights Templar. Manufacturerof patent chair, wood working and sanding machinery. On committee on military affairs in House of 1897.

ZADOC LONG WHITE, Republican, of Winchendon was born in that town, Dec. 29, 1854; educated in the public schools. From the age of 16 until the present has been engaged in cotton manufacturing, being now a member of the firm of White Bros. of Jaffrey, N. H., cotton manufacturers, and trustee of Nelson D. White & Sons of Winchendon, also cotton manufacturers. Director of the First national bank of Winchendon, trustee of the Winchendon savings bank, and member of the New England cotton manufacturers' association. Past sachem of Watatic tribe of Red Men; secretary of the North Star chapter of royal arch Masons, and of Ivanhoe commandery of Knights Templar. On committee on manufactures in House of 1897.

Vote of di trict: H. S. Cowell, Prohibition, 129; C. M. Day, Democrat, 625; G. N. Dyer, Democrat, 1192: Levi G. McKnight, Republican, 1626; C. C. Rathburn, Prohibition, 99; Zadoc L. White, Republican, 1775.

District. No. 3.—Barre, Dana, Hardwick, Hubbardston, Petersham, Westminster.—GEORGE H. KELTON, of Petersham, Republican, was born in Hubbardston, Sept. 20, 1861; educated in Tilton Seminary, Cushing Academy, Harvard College, class of 1893. Has since been engaged in teaching school, and as proprietor of a summer hotel. Member of school committee in 1883-85. Member of Mt. Zion lodge of Masons of Barre, of royal arch chapter and commandery of Athol, Clerk of committee on agriculture, 1896; House chairman of agriculture, 1897.

Vote of district: George Howard Kelton, Republican, 884; G. W. Wheelwright, Jr., Democrat, 353.

District No. 4.—Holden, New Braintree, North Brookfield, Oakham, Princeton, Rutland.—JOHN BUSH DEWING Republican, of North Brookfield, born in that town, Jan. 28, 1835; public schools, Pierce Academy. Shoemaker; foreman for 35 years. On selectmen, 1872-82; assessors, 1895; registrar, 1883-96. Director and treasurer of the North Brookfield railroad company. Masons; Odd Fellows; chairman Republican town committee. Committee on agriculture in House of 1897.

Vote of district: John B. Dewing, Republican, 1036; all others, 12.

District No. 5.—Brookfield, Sturbridge, Warren, West Brookfield.—WILSON H. FAIRBANK, of Warren, Republican, was born in Warren, April 3, 1836; educated in the public schools. General superintendent and engineer of telegraph and telephone lines. Began as contractor and builder at the age of nineteen, and has since been connected with almost every telegraph and telephone company in the country, building lines in nearly every state and city. President and life trustee of the Warren public library; vice president of Quaboag Historical Society; member of Quaboag lodge of Masons, and the Arcturus lodge of Odd Fellows. On committee on mercantile affairs, and on special committee on redistricting the state, 1896, on railroads, 1897.

Vote of district Wilson H. Fairbank, Republican, 1119; J. F. Hill, Democrat, 482.

District No. 6.—Leicester, Paxton, Spencer.—WARREN J. LIVERMORE, of Spencer, Republican, was born in South Royalston, Jan. 5, 1835; educated in the public schools. Been in lumber business, but now president and superintendent of the People's Light and Power Company of Danielson, Ct. Assessor in Spencer two years. Member of Spencer lodge of Masons. On committee on election laws, 1896; on roads and bridges, 1897.

Vote of district; A. Arsenault, Democrat, 486; Warren J. Livermore, Republican, 1098.

District No. 7.—Charlton, Dudley, Oxford, Southbridge, Webster.—CARY C. BRADFORD, Republican, of Southbridge, was born in West Woodstock, Ct.,

Feb. 8, 1855; Phillips Andover Academy, Brown University, 1877, Harvard Medical School, 1882. Physician. Medical examiner for 8th Worcester district since 1888. Masons. Clerk of committee on public health, 1897.

CYRUS SPAULDING, of Webster, Republican, was born in that town, April 17, 1835; educated in its public schools and Wilbraham Academy. Is a dealer in hardware, stoves and agricultural implements. Is a director in the Webster national bank since 1876, and president of its savings bank since 1887, and a trustee since 1868. Is a member of the local lodge of Masons. Secretary and treasurer of Sterling camp meeting association since 1885. Selectman, 1876-77-81; assessor, 1874-84. Associate member of G. A. R. Committee on banks and banking, 1896; on banks and banking, and parishes and religious societies, 1897.

Vote of district: Cary Carpenter Bradford, Republican, 1691; E. R. Carpenter, Democrat, 967; S. K. Edwards, Democrat, 1227; Cyrus Spaulding, Republican, 1436.

District No. 8.—Auburn, Douglas, Millbury, Sutton.—GEORGE F. CHASE, of Millbury, Republican, was born in Sutton, Dec. 11, 1851; educated in the public schools. Is a contractor and builder. Selectman 1885 87-88. Past grand of Morning Star lodge of Odd Fellows; member of Olive Branch lodge of Masons; also Syrian royal arch chapter of Masons. Past district deputy of Royal Arcanum. On committee on drainage, 1896; House chairman of same committee, 1897.

Vote of district: J. W. Brigham, Democrat, 418; George F. Chase, Republican, 1010.

District No. 9.—Blackstone, Grafton, Northbridge, Shrewsbury, Uxbridge.—CORNELIUS R. DAY, Republican, of Blackstone, (Millville) was born in that village, Dec. 29, 1847; educated in the public schools and Bryant & Stratton's commercial college of Providence, R. I. Has been in the livery, teaming, coal, hay and ice business since 1870. Selectman in 1889, Road commissioner, 1885-6-90-1 2. Chairman of road commission; engineer of fire department; treasurer and general manager of Blackstone water company. On committee on printing 1896; on federal relations, and printing, 1897.

JOHN E. MCCLELLAN, Republican, of Grafton was born in Sutton, Sept. 5, 1847; educated in the public schools, Leicester Academy, Williston Seminary. Member of Co. F, 1st Battalion Mass. Heavy artillery. On board of Selectmen two years; road commissioner ten years. President of Grafton board of trade; largely engaged in farming; dealer in coal and wood; contractor on public works. On committee on water supply, 1896; on roads and bridges, and water supply, 1897.

Vote of district: Cornelius R. Day, Republican, 2085; John E. McClellan, Republican, 1821; all others, 15.

District No. 10.—Hopedale, Mendon, Milford, Upton, Westborough.—WALTER S. V. COOKE, Republican of Milford, was born there, Aug. 12, 1851; educated in public and private schools. Been in shoe business 20 years; last seven years sebretary and treasurer of the Milford co-operative bank. Past grand of Tisquantum lodge of Odd Fellows; past chief patriarch of Quinshepaug encampment of I. O. O. F.; member of Montgomery lodge of Masons, Mt. Lebanon chapter of R. A. M., Milford commandery of K. F., and Aleppo temple of Mystic Shrine. Ex-president and for the last ten years secretary of the Quidnunc association, the leading social club of Milford. Assessor, 1887; registrar from 1889 to 1896; from 1888 to 1893, secretary of the Republican town committee; 1893-4, chairman of same. House chairman of committee on towns, 1896; House chairman of towns, and on street railways, 1897.

George L. Smith, Republican, of Westborough, was born in that part of Milford known as Silver Hill, Jan. 17, 1845; removed to Worcester when seven years of age; after attending the common schools of Worcester, became a student for a year in Mendon and later pursued a course in Eaton's school of applied sciences in Worcester. From school entered the firearms factory of Frank Wesson for the purpose of learning the machinist trade. For a while was in the employ of the original street railroad company of Worcester; in 1865 engaged in the manufacture of lumber in Northborough; removed to Westborough in 1870, continuing in the same business; afterwards became connected with Christopher Whitney and T. V. Bartlett under the firm name of C. Whitney & Co.; in 1894 sold his interest to Mr. Bartlett and became engaged with the local electric light company now incorporated as the Westborough gas and electric company and is at the present its manager. In 1894 became one of the incorporators of the Cycle Improvement Co.; one year later sold his interest to Reynold Janney, president of the corporation. In 1895 on board of selectmen, declining a renomination; on board of fire engineers eight years, part of the time as chief of the department. Past master of Siloam lodge of Masons, member of Houghton chapter royal arch Masons of Marlboro, of Worcester Lodge of Perfection, of Bethany chapter order of Eastern Star; past grand of Hockmocko lodge of Odd Fellows; associate member post 80 of G. A. R.; chairman of committee on manufacturing of the board of trade of Westborough; vice-president of Westborough savings bank; director of Marlboro & Worcester railroad. On committee on public service in House of 1897. Chosen to fill vacancy caused by death of Representative B. Alden Nourse.

Vote of district: (Regular election), Walter S. V. Cooke, Republican, 2157; J. B. Fitch, Democrat, 1069; B. Alden Nourse, Republican, 1876; E. J. Nutter, Democrat. 1031; F. E. Pettengill, Prohibition, 75.

District No. 11.—*Berlin, Boylston, Clinton, Northboro, Southboro, Sterling, West Boylston.*—Edward A. Cowee, Republican, of West Boylston, was born in that town, July 23, 1857; educated in the public schools. Is a miller and grain dealer. On board of selectmen, 1896-7. Committee on federal relations, 1896; on agriculture, and federal relations, 1897.

Walter F. Howard, Republican, of Clinton was born in that town, Sept. 20, 1855; educated in the public schools and Bryant & Stratton's commercial college of Boston. Is in the livery and sale stable business. Chairman of road commissioners in 1895, and chief of the board of fire engineers; clerk of the Clinton & Lancaster driving park company. Member of Trinity lodge of Masons, and of Wattoquottoc tribe of Red Men. Clerk of committee on counties, and on special committee on redistricting the state, 1896; on counties, 1897.

Vote of district: Edward A. Cowee, Republican, 2100; H. Dietzman, Democrat, 1157; Walter F. Howard, Republican, 1991; W. B. Wood, Democrat, 995.

District No. 12.—*Bolton, Ward 6 of Fitchburg, Harvard, Lancaster, Lunenburg.*—Charles W. Gale, Republican, of Fitchburg was born in Charlestown, Oct. 3, 1846; educated in the public schools. Enlisted in the United States signal corps and was mustered out in 1865. Member of E. V. Sumner post 19 G. A. R., being a past commander. Is a locomotive engineer and electrician. Member of Fitchburg common council, 1893-4-5. Clerk of committee on drainage in House of 1897.

Vote of district: N. J. Cadorette, Democrat, 239; Charles W. Gale, Republican, 787; O. M. Lowe, no designation, 413.

District No. 13.—*Wards* 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 *of Fitchburg.*—Francis F. Farrar, Republican, of Fitchburg was born in Concord, Jan. 10, 1833; educated in the public schools. Enlisted, Aug. 23, 1862, in Co. A, 53d regiment, served in divis-

ion of Maj. Gen. N. P. Banks; wounded in left arm at Port Hudson, La.; mustered out, Sept. 2, 1863. Is a member of post 19 G. A. R. of Fitchburg. Is a carpenter and builder. Member of common council in 1873. Member of Aurora lodge of Masons, and of Jerusalem commandery of Knights Templar. On committee on federal relations in House of 1897.

HENRY THRASHER, Republican, was born in Westminster, May 29, 1837; educated in Coventry, Brownington, Craftsbury academies and Newbury Seminary, all of Vermont. Prior to 1859 taught school for several years. Was turnkey at jail and house of correction in Fitchburg in 1863-4. Later took active part in fire companies. Of late years active in ward politics, serving as chairman of caucus, etc.; connected with several benevolent orders; is a machinist and has taken charge of departments of the largest manufactory of machinists' tools in Fitchburg. Member of common council in 1891; alderman, 1892-3. Member of Aurora lodge of Masons, having been deacon and junior warden; also of Thomas royal arch chapter. On committee on elections, 1896; on counties and prisons, 1897.

Vote of district: J. W. Abbott, Democrat, 1127; Francis F. Farrar, Republican, 1968; H. M. Kendall, Democrat, 884; Henry Thrasher, Republican, 1707.

District No. 14.—*Leominster.*—HENRY R. SMITH, Republican, born in that town, Oct. 7, 1842; public schools, Meadville Theological seminary, Boston school for the ministry. Enlisted, August, 1862, in Co. A. 36th regiment; discharged Feb. 27, 1863. Member of post 53, G. A. R. Pastor of First Parish (Unitarian) of Barre, Mass., 1869. Then in Leominster in manufacture of combs, until 1886. Then with Calumet woolen company of Uxbridge until 1891 as book-keeper; treasurer of Richardson Piano case company, trustee of Leominster savings bank; school committee 1879 to 86; president of Leominster Home for Old Ladies; Masons. On committee on parishes and religious societies, 1896; House chairman of parishes and religious societies, and taxation, 1897.

Vote of district: F. H. Mowe, Democrat, 381; Henry R. Smith, Republican, 1192.

District No. 15.—*Ward* 1 *of Worcester.*—GEORGE MAURY RICE, Repnblican, was born in that city, Oct. 20, 1843; educated in the public schools. Has been an inventor, photoprapher and manufacturer, but has retired from business. Was an army photographer during the latter part of the Rebellion, but was not enlisted. Member of common council, 1891-5, inclusive; served continuously on the committee on water and various minor committees; elected yearly by city council in joint convention, a member of the board of trustees of the city Hospital for the years 1892-5, inclusive. Member of Montacute lodge of Masons and was its master in 1884-5; grand steward in the grand lodge of Massachusetts, 1896; Worcester chapter R. A. M., and was its M. E. H. P. in 1879-80; was R. E. grand king in grand chapter, 1889, and was a delegate to the session of the general grand chapter of the United States heid at Atlanta in 1889; member of Massachusetts convention of high priests, of Hiram council R. & S. M., and was its T. I. M. in 1882-3; grand P. C. W. in grand council, 1884; Worcester county commandery K. T., held minor offices. Worcester lodge of Perfection 14th degree; Goddard council P. J. 16th degree, M. E. S. P. G. in 1887; Lawrence chapter Rose Croix 18th degree; Massachusetts Consistory 32d degree; 1st lieut. commander, Massachusetts Council of Deliberation, 1886; of Aleppo Temple A. A. O. N. Mystic Shrine. Member of Worcester county mechanics' association, and served three years on its board of trustees; of Worcester board of trade; of the Worcester agricultural society, and of the New England agricultural society; of Worcester society of antiquity; and of Society of Sons of American Revolution; of

Worcester Continentals, capt. of Co. C. On committee on water supply in House of 1896; clerk of water supply, 1897.

Vote of district: J. F. McGovern, Democrat, 293; George M. Rice, Republican, 1369.

District No. 16.—Ward 2 of Worcester.—MOSES DUDLEY GILMAN, Republican, was born in Broome, P. Q., May 23, 1846; educated in the public schools. Is a manufacturer of confectionery. Enlisted in Co. M. 3d Massachusetts Cavalry, Dec. 30, 1864, serving under Gen. Sheridan; mustered out Sept. 28, 1865. Member of George H. Ward post No. 10. G. A. R. Member of common council 1882-6, and of aldermen 1894-6. Member of the Athlestan lodge, Eureka chapter royal arch Masons; of Worcester county commandery of Knights Templar; of Lawrence chapter, Rose Croix and the Massachusetts consistory 32d degree Masons; of Regulus lodge Knights of Pythias. Member of committee on cities in the House of 1897.

Vote of district: Moses D. Gilman, Republican, 1543, not a single vote being cast against him.

District No. 17.—Ward 3 of Worcester.—EUGENE M. MORIARTY, Democrat, was born in Ireland, Apr. 15, 1849. Came to Worcester when a youth. Has seen 12 years' service in the Legislature, having served in the House from 1880 to 1883 inclusive, and from 1890 to 1897 inclusive; served upon nearly all of the most important committees. On committees on election laws, and street railways, 1897.

Vote of district: D. E. Ayer, Republican, 713; Eugene M. Moriarty, Democrat, 863.

District No. 18, Ward 4 of Worcester.—MICHAEL L. RUSSELL, Democrat, was born in Chicago, Ill., Dec. 15, 1860; educated in the Worcester High school. A machinist, but for the last six years a type-writer and stenographer. Member of common council in 1889-90-1-2. On committee on drainage in House of 1897.

Vote of district: P. T. Carroll, Democrat Independent N. P., 41; S. S. Mackin, Republican, 265; James H. Mellen, Democrat Independent N. P., 657; Michael L. Russell, Democrat, 1032.

District No. 19, Ward 5 of Worcester.—A. EDWIN ENBERG, Republican, was born in Wemland, Sweden, Sept 9, 1866; removed to this country in 1871; educated in public and private schools. Is a mechanical draughtsman and bicycle dealer. Member of the Republican city committee in 1896. Member of executive committee Young Men's Republican club, Worcester, 1896-7. Member Morning Star lodge of Masons, and of Worcester royal arch chapter. Member of committee on public service in House of 1897.

Vote of district: A. Edwin Enberg, Republican, 878; J. F. Timon, Democrat, 805.

District No. 20.—Ward 6 of Worcester.—GEORGE W. COOMBS, Republican, was born in Snerborn, Nov. 4, 1837; educated in the public schools. Has been a machinist, woolen manufacturer and a wool merchant. Was an alderman from ward 6 in Worcester for 1892-3-4-5. On committees on libraries, and State House in House of 1897.

Vote of district: George W. Coombs, Republican; 1540; J. S. Kavanaugh, Democrat, 290.

District No. 21—Ward 7 of Worcester.—WILLIE C. YOUNG, Republican, was born in Leominster, May 28, 1848; educated in the public schools. Has been machinist, book-keeper; is now a manufacturer and president of the W. C. Young Manufacturing Co. Member of Worcester school committee 1882-5, and president of same 1892-5. Member of Quinsigamond lodge of Odd Fellows, Bay State commandery of Knights of Malta, Commonwealth council of United Ameri-

can Mechanics and is state councillor of that order; member of Crescent Senate of Ancient Essenic order; trustee of Worcester county mechanics' association. Clerk of committee on drainage, 1896: on railroads in House of 1897.

Vote of district: Willie C. Young, Republican, 1501; all others, 2.

District No. 22.—Ward 8 of Worcester.—CHARLES G. WASHBURN, Republican, lawyer and manufacturer, was born in Worcester Jan. 28, 1857; educated at public schools, graduated at Worcester Polytechnic Institute, 1875, at Harvard University, 1880. Admitted to Suffolk bar, 1887; was for several years a director and executive officer of the Washburn & Moen manufacturing company of Worcester. On committee on mercantile affairs in House of 1897.

Vote of district: J. H. Wall, Democrat; Charles G. Washburn, Republican, 1610.

THE CHAPLAIN AND CLERKS.

DANIEL WINGATE WALDRON, the chaplain of the House, was born in Augusta, Me., Nov. 11, 1840. Graduated from Bowdoin College in 1862, from Andover Theological Seminary in 1866. Was ordained and installed pastor of East Weymouth (Mass.) Congregational church April 3, 1867; dismissed May 14, 1871, to become acting pastor of Maverick Congregational church, East Boston, which position he held until Dec. 1, 1872. Since Feb. 1873, connected with the City Missionary Society, Boston, now being its secretary and superintendent. Elected chaplain of the House in 1879, and has been re-elected each year since; preached the "Election Sermon," Jan. 7, 1880.

JAMES W. KIMBALL, clerk, Republican, was born in Lynn, Dec. 17, 1858. He received his education in the public schools; and on leaving school he entered the printing business, which trade he has since followed. In 1883 he was appointed a page of the House of Representatives, afterwards appointed a messenger of the same branch, and in 1888, when a vacancy occurred in the assistant clerkship of the House, he was appointed to fill that position. Nominated for clerk by House Republicans in caucus, and elected by full House of 1897.

FRANK E. BRIDGMAN, assistant clerk, was born in Springfield, March 28, (Easter Sunday) 1868; removed with his parents to Keshena, Wis., in 1875; thence to Hyde Park, in 1879; thence to Toledo, O., in 1883; thence to Hyde Park, in 1887; thence to Jamaica Plain, Boston, in 1895. Graduated from High school of Toledo, O., being salutatorian of class of 1887; entered business life Aug. 8, 1887, with Mechanics' Iron Foundry Company of Roxbury, Mass., in whose employ he remained until appointed clerical assistant to the clerk of the Senate, Jan. 1, 1894. After serving in the last-named position during three sessions of the Legislature, he was appointed assistant clerk of the House of Representatives, Jan. 6, 1897.

SERGEANT-AT-ARMS AND SOME APPOINTEES.

CAPT. JOHN G. B. ADAMS, sergeant-at-arms, born in Groveland, Oct. 6, 1841. In 1861 enlisted in Major Ben Perley Poore's Rifle Battalion, later part of Nineteenth Regiment. Left with regiment Aug. 28, 1861, sixth corporal of Co. A; first sergeant, March 1, 1862; soon captain, which rank he held until close of war. Was in every battle of Army of the Potomac in which his regiment took part; twice saved regimental colors at Fredericksburg; twice severely wounded at Gettysburg; rejoined his regiment so as to be with it from the Wilderness to Petersburg, being captured at latter June 22, 1864; nine months in Libby, Macon, Charleston, Columbia, and Raleigh, being one of 600 kept under fire at Charleston; escaped twice; recaptured each time. Since the war, foreman in a

Lynn shoe factory, inspector in Boston Custom House for 15 months, postmaster at Lynn eight years, deputy warden of the Concord reformatory few months, resigning; sergeant-at-arms, January 1886, and ever since. Past commander-in-chief of the Grand Army of rhe Republic; first recruit of post 5, G. A. R. of Lynn; its commander three times; department commander of state one year; 19 times delegate to National encampment; many years president of Association of Survivors of Rebel Prisons. President of board of trustees of Soldiers' Home at Chelsea for 13 years. Messenger to carry the electoral vote of state to Washington in 1868.

MAJOR CHARLES G. DAVIS, first clerk, born in New York city, Nov. 29, 1859; public schools. Enlisted Sept. 4, 1861, Co. C, cavalry; 1st sergt, 2d lieut. 1st lieut, captain, major. Wounded at Kelly's Ford, Va.; wounded and captured at Aldie, Va. Prisoner at Libby Prison, Danville, Macon, Charleston, Columbia, escaping from latter Nov. 2, 1864; mustered out as major. Has been secretary, vice-president and president of several organizations of veterans; Loyal Legion; post 15, G. A. R., its commander in 1871; adjutant of Ancient and Honorable Artillery in 1875, and 1st lieut. in 1887.

CHARLES A. LEGG, chief engineer, born in Dover, N. H., Nov. 12, 1848; educated in public schools of Lowell. Apprenticeship in Lowell machine shops, finished trade at McKay & Alden's locomotive works, East Boston; some years for Merrimack's manufacturing company of Lowell; for various railroads in mechanical departments, and for fourteen years had charge of mechanical department of Harvard University before taking his present place, at opening of State House Extension. Member of national association of stationery engineers. Member of Montacute lodge of Masons of Worcester.

DAVID T. REMINGTON, of Northampton, Senate door-keeper, was born at Plainfield, June 5, 1846; educated in common schools. Enlisted Oct. 9, 1861, in Co. B, 31st Mass.; discharged Oct. 23, 1865, with rank of corporal. Severely wounded at Sabine Cross Roads, La., April 8, 1864; wounded again at Blakely, near Mobile, April 8, 1865. Held all offices of Jerusalem lodge of Masons, of Northampton; deputy of the 13th Masonic district, 1891-4; W. L. Baker post G. A. R., and all its offices but commander. Appointed messenger, 1890; door-keeper, 1893.

WILLIAM H. WHITING, of Pittsfield; was born in Utica, N. Y., Oct. 9, 1842; educated in public schools. Messenger 19 years, and was clerk in lawyer's office previously. Member of Elks, of Ancient Essenic Order, of Middlesex club, and of Massachusetts Republican club.

J. HENRY LOCKE, of Worcester, was born in Boylston, Dec. 17, 1845; educated in the public schools. Enlisted Sept. 24, 1861, in Co. D, 25th regiment, army of the Potomac; wounded June 30, 1864; mustered out July 13, 1865; past officer of the guard of post 10 G. A. R., Worcester; has been a janitor; appointed messenger of Senate, Jan., 1897.

HARRY W. MORGAN, Senate, born in Northampton (Florence), Sept. 24, 1879; educated in public schools, including High school. Appointed Senate page, Jan. 1, 1896.

LAWRENCE G. MITCHELL, Dorchester, was born in Boston, Jan. 10, 1880 educated in the public schools. Appointed Senate page, Jan., 1897.

THOMAS J. TUCKER, House door-keeper, was born in Boston, Dec. 21, 1831; graduated from the Mayhew school; engaged in business until appointed on the messenger corps of the Legislature under Sergeant-at-arms Benjamin Stevens;

appointed assistant door-keeper in 1869, and door-keeper in 1875. Mr. Tucker has been prominent in temperance work, having served in all the honorary offices of the Sons of Temperance of Massachusetts, and was grand worthy patriarch, 1874-5; also member of the National division and life director of the Massachusetts Total Abstinence Society.

JOHN KINNEAR, assistant door-keeper, born in Glasgow, Scotland, Nov. 24, 1836, came to this country when 22 months old; lived in Cambridge ever since. Commissioned as 3d lieut. Co. C, 2d regiment, first volunteer company of the Rebellion, but on arriving at Fortress Monroe received a commission as first sergeant. At expiration of his time July 52, 1861, was discharged; then recruited Co. E, 30th regiment, and was appointed 1st lieut. by special order from President Lincoln, Jan. 19, 1862; mustered out of service, Sept. 22, 1862. Was appointed messenger of the House in 1880, and made assistant door-keeper in 1884.

JAMES BEATTY, postmaster, born in Manchester, England, Aug. 26, 1845; came to this country when only two years old, going at once to Salem; educated in common schools. Enlisted Sept. 22, 1861, in Co. I, 22d Massachusetts; three years as bugler in Fifth Corps of Army of the Potomac, taking part in all engagements. Mustered out Oct. 18, 1864. Auctioneer and furniture business in Waltham. Appointed messenger at the State House in 1886; appointed legislative post-master, 1893. Waltham G. A. R. Post; Prospect lodge of Odd Fellows; A. O. U. W.

EZRA T. POPE, of Sandwich, was born in that town, Aug. 27, 1825; educated in public and private schools. Is a farmer. Member of the House from First Barnstable district in 1864-65. Been constable and deputy sherff; appointed messenger in 1874.

CHARLES D. UFFORD, of Springfield, was born in Stamford, Conn., May 12, 1837. Educated in New York and Springfield schools, at Spriugfield business college. Enlisted April 20, 1861, mustered into service June 21, 1861, in Co. F, 10 regiment; re-enlisted Dec. 21, 1863; transferred to Co. I, 37th regiment, June 21, 1864; transferred to Co. K, Twentieth, June 21, 1865; mustered out July 16, 1865. Clerk in railroad office, and railroad yard-master since the war. Roswell Lee lodge of Masons; Hampden lodge of Odd Fellows; E. K. Wilcox Post, G. A. R. Appointed messenger in 1885.

EDWIN C. GOULD, of Melrose, was born Aug. 19, 1840, at Wilmington; educated in Bath, Me., schools. In 1856, printed in Melrose its first paper, the Melrose Advertiser, now Melrose Journal; went to Atchison, Kan., 1857; crossed the plains in 1860 at time of Pike's Peak gold fever, and was employed in the mines when the war broke out. Enlisted Sept. 1, 1861, in Co. F, 1st Colorado cavalry, wounded at battle of Glorietta, N. M.; discharged Oct. 16. 1864; postmaster at military post, Fort Lyon, Col., 1862 to 1865; in 1866, entered employ of Bridgeport, Conn. Rubber Company, where he remained 13 years. From 1879 to 1891, cashier for F. M. Holmes Furniture Co. of Boston. Been commander of the U. S. Grant post No. 4, G. A. R.: member of "Sons of the American Revolution"; tyler of Wyoming lodge of Masons; town auditor, justice of peace, and notary public. Appointed messenger in 1891.

ROBERT J. TAYLOR, in charge of the elevator on the west side next the Mount Vernon street entrance, was born in Virginia in 1852, and was educated in the Hampton school. Came to Boston in 1872, and followed the hotel business until 1886, when he was appointed to position of legislative elevator man in the old State House. A prominent member of the G. U. O. of O. F., past officer of Sumner lodge, past grand master of council of same order, and past officer of the military order. Represented his lodge in the B. M. C. held in Washington in 1892, and is a trustee of the Odd Fellows Building Association.

CLARENCE J. SMITH, page to the Speaker, was born in Boston, educated in the public schools, graduating from the English High school in 1893. Appointed page in 1895.

EDWARD S. BACKMAN, of Malden, was born in Bridgeport, Ct., Oct. 22, 1878; educated in the public schools. Appointed page, Jan. 1, 1896.

JAMES WOOD of New Bedford was born in that city, Aug. 12, 1880; educated in public and private schools. Been in printing business for three years. Appointed page of House in Jan. 1897.

LOUIS AGASSIZ PHILLIPS was born in Deerfield, Aug. 14, 1870; educated in Deerfield public schools. Appointed, Jan. 1, 1894, in sergeant-at-arms department and on June, 15, 1897, promoted to be messenger in charge of the legislative document room. Member of Sons of American Revolution.

NOTES OF THE SESSION.

Resolutions were adopted for an increase of the pay of letter carriers in cities above a certain size.

Senator Holden of Suffolk entertained his fellow senators at a dinner at the Hotel Tuileries, one evening in March, much to the pleasure of all present.

The Senate occupied as temporary quarters a large chamber temporarily fitted up, consisting of the upper portion of what will be Memorial Hall when completed.

The Senate adopted resolutions of sympathy with Sylvester Scovel, a newspaper correspondent in Cuba, but the resolutions finally died in the House of Representatives.

The Governor and Council occupied temporary quarters, consisting of the rooms at the north end of the Extension designed for the use regularly of the railroad commissioners.

The Democratic minority of the committee on the votes for the councillors-elect wished to canvass the ballots themselves in the Allen-Sullivan contested case, put the majority decided there was no reason for going behind the returns.

Representatives Cooke, McClellan, Neill, Shattuck, James Keenan of Boston, Fairbank and Rice were a special committee to attend the funeral of Representative B. A. Nourse of Westborough, and to prepare suitable resolutions, Feb. 2.

Senators Barber, Prevaux and Ives and Representatives Lawrence, Kelton, Cowee, Stevens, McClellan, Gerdner, Dewing and Porter of Agawam were appointed a special committee on the investigation of alleged tuberculous cows in Dracut and Lowell.

Both House and Senate were visited, June 10, by the International Postal Congress, Representative Dubuque of Fall River making an eloquent address of welcome in French in that branch, and President Lawrence making a brief address of welcome in the Senate.

Senators Black, Soule and Moran and Representatives Reed of Taunton, Waterman of Taunton, Mason, Barnes, Estes, Marden and Woodman of Medway were appointed a special committee to attend the funeral of Gen. Darius N. Couch of Taunton, Feb. 17, and to prepare suitable resolutions.

Senators Holden, Everett, Woodward and Gallivan and Representatives Evans, Reed of Boston, Lowell, Pierce of Milton, McCarthy, Barnes, Marden, Stocker, Rourke and Fisher were appointed on a joint special committee to represent the state at the dedication of the statue of Col. Robert G. Shaw on Boston Common on Memorial Day.

Messrs. Manchester, Evans, Quirk, Parsons, Reidy, Clark, Chapple, Crawford and Dubuque were appointed, February 9, a special committee to conduct impeachment proceedings against County Commissioner Morrell of Norfolk County, but the supreme court, in answer to an order from the House, decided that such impeachment would be unconstitutional.

A legislative dinner, attended by members of both branches and of both parties, was an enjoyable mid-winter feature of the session especially the "Snap Shots on Beacon Hill," in rhyme, by Representative Gallison. Another very pleasant occasion was the trip down the Merrimac river on the steamer "Merrimack," June 8, tendered their fellow legislators by Representatives George of Haverhill and Hoyt of Bradford.

President Lawrence and Senators Roe, Everett, Lomasney, Woodfall, Harding, Ives, Folsom and Brigham and Speaker Bates and Representatives Woodbury, Thompson, Hanson, Grimes, Hall of Everett, Cowee, Bachelder, Bunting, Bosworth, Bartlett of Boston, Howard, Shattuck, Packard, Gardner, Russell, Ramsay, Mellen of Great Barrington and Grant were appointed to represent the General Court at the celebration of the centennial of the inauguration of the first Massachusetts president, John Adams, held in the Old South Meeting House, March 4.

On Wednesday, May 26, a joint convention was held to witness the formal presentation to the Governor of the Bradford Manuscript History of "Plimouth Plantation" recently ordered by decree of the Consistorial and Episcopal Court of London to be returned to the Commonwealth of Massachusetts by the hands of the Hon. Thomas F. Bayard, lately ambassador at the court of St. James's. The President of the Senate being in the chair, a committee consisting of Messrs. Roe, Woodward and Gallivan, of the Senate, and Messrs. Pierce of Milton, Bailey of Plymouth, Brown of Gloucester, Fairbank, Bailey of Newbury, Sanderson, Whittlesey, and Bartlett of Boston, of the House, was appointed to wait upon the Governor and inform him that the two branches were in convention. Soon the Governor, the Lieutenant Governor, the Council, Hon. Thomas F. Bayard, Hon. George F. Hoar, and other invited guests, came in. The decree of the Consistorial and Episcopal Court of London authorizing the return of the manuscript and its delivery to the Governor of the Commonwealth, was read. The President then introduced Hon. George F. Hoar, who addressed the convention, giving an account of the manuscript and of the many efforts that had been made to secure its return. Hon. Thomas F. Bayard was then introduced by the President, and he formally presented the manuscript to the Governor, who accepted it in behalf of the Commonwealth. On motion of Senator Bradford of Springfield, a lineal descendant of Gov. Bradford, the author of the "History," an order was adopted that the Senate and the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts place on record their high appreciation of the generous and gracious courtesy that prompted this act of international good will, and express their grateful thanks to all concerned therein, and especially to the Lord Bishop of London, for the return to the Commonwealth of this precious relic.

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